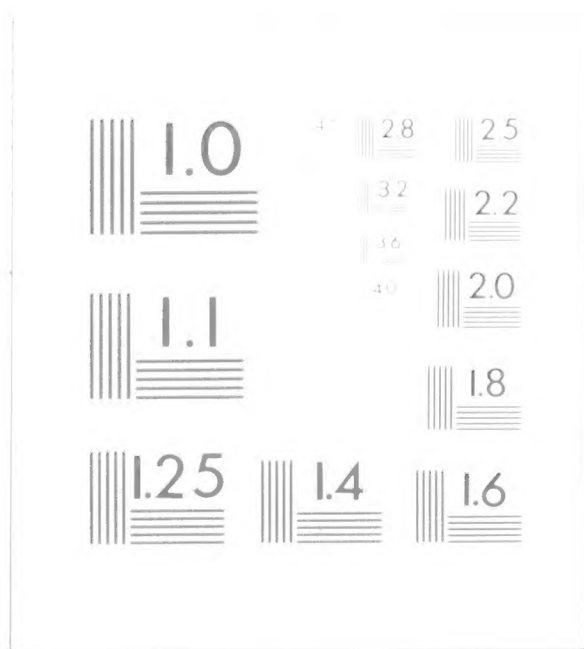


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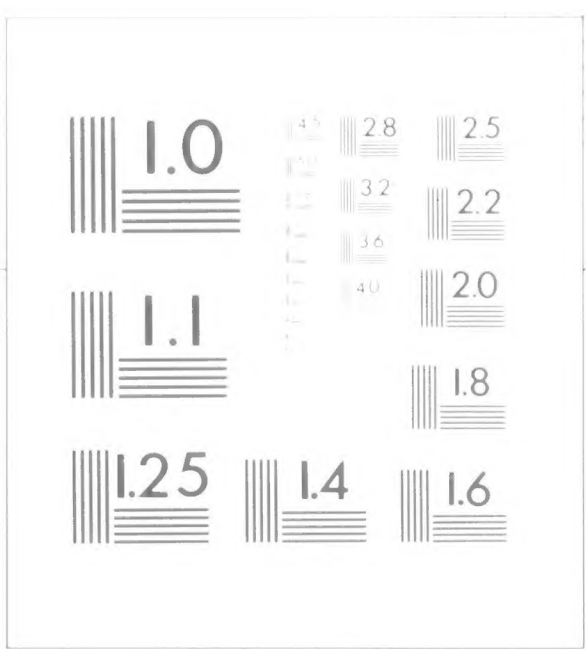
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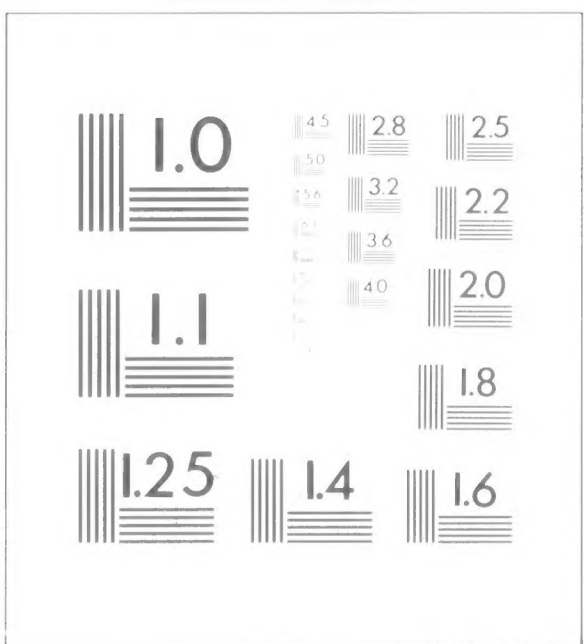
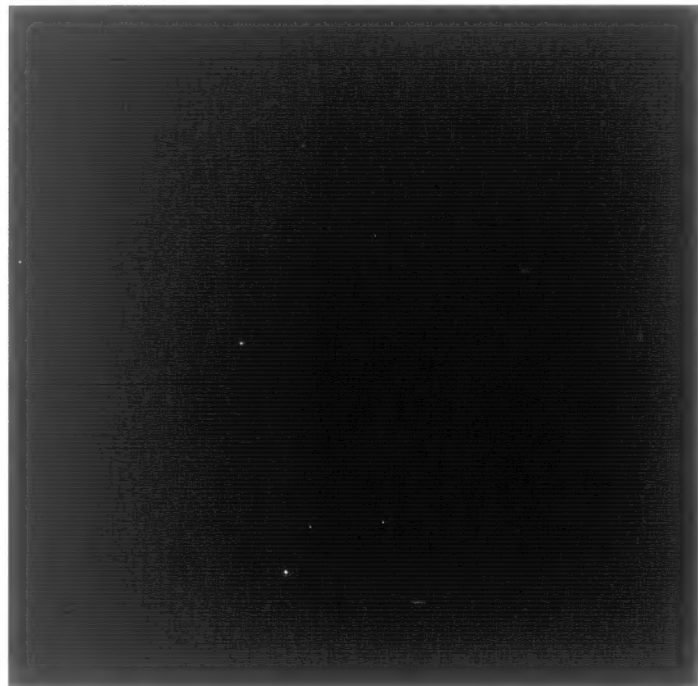
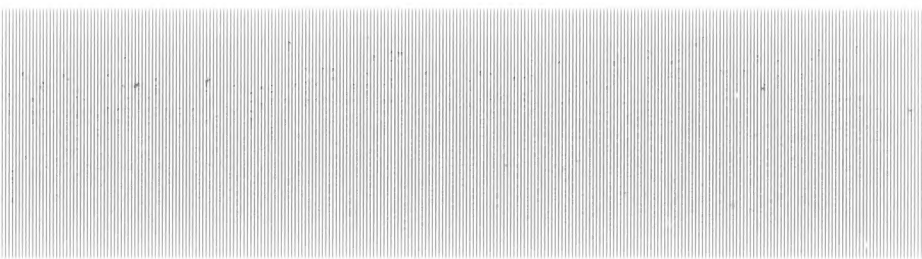
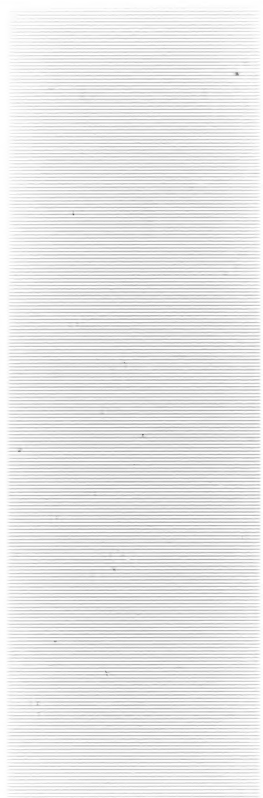
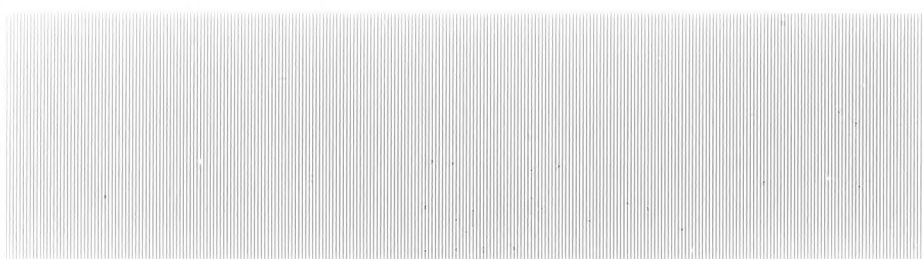


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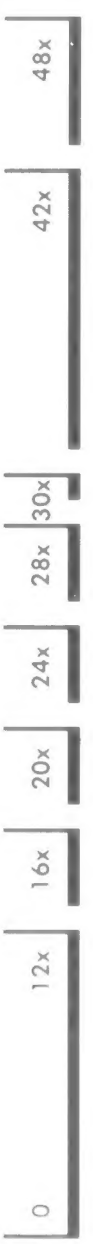


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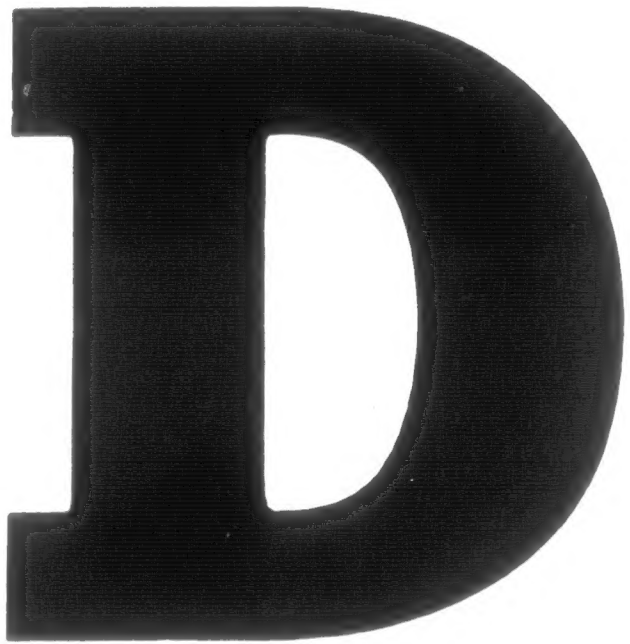


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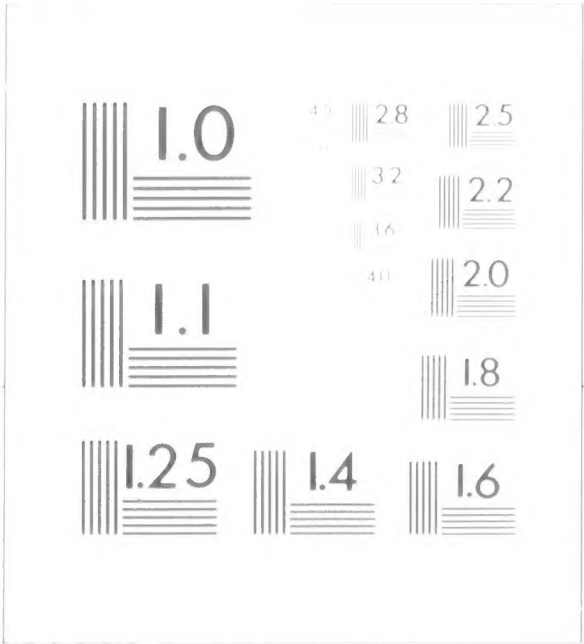
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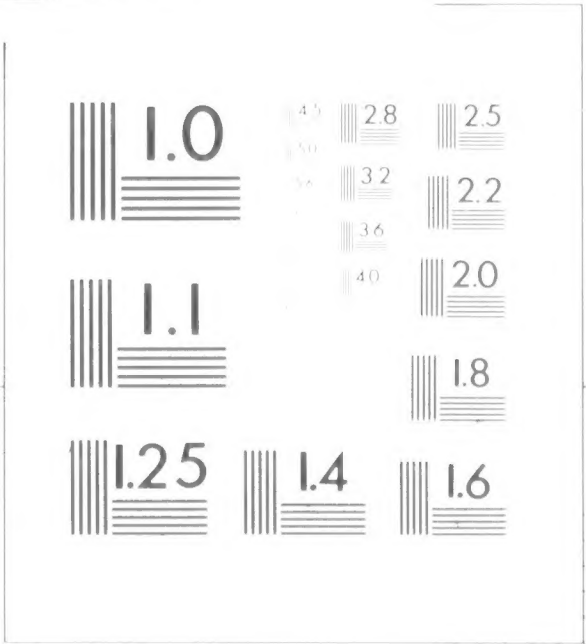


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U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

1906-1909

Roll 277

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INTRODUCTION

On the 348 rolls of this microfilm publication are reproduced the applications submitted for shares of the money that was appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Congress on June 30, 1906. The Eastern Cherokee applications, August 29, 1906-May 26, 1909, are part of the Guion Miller Enrollment Records that are among the records of the U.S. Court of Claims. This publication also includes a general index to Eastern Cherokee applications (two vols.).

History

Before the U.S. Court of Claims was established in 1855 there was no procedure by which claims arising against the U.S. Government could be enforced by suit. Consideration of claims was provided for when the Treasury Department was established in 1789; later acts of the Congress authorized the Department to settle all claims by or against the Government. If a claim was rejected by the Treasury Department, the claimant's only course of action was to appeal directly to the Congress. Petitions to that body for relief had become so numerous by the middle of the 19th century that the Congress was beginning to find it impossible to make the proper and necessary investigations for actions on the claims.

The U.S. Court of Claims was established by an act of February 24, 1855, to hear claims against the United States including those referred to the court by the Congress, based on any law of the Congress, any regulation of an executive department, or any contract with the Government, whether explicit or implied. Under this act the court served only as a factfinding agency, and its conclusions were submitted to the Congress for approval and for the granting of awards. In 1863 the Congress enlarged the court's jurisdiction and gave it authority to render judgments against the Government, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. An act of 1925 abolished appeals from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court and substituted writs of certiorari.

An act approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat. 726), gave the Court of Claims jurisdiction over any claim arising under treaty stipulations that the Cherokee Tribe, or any band thereof, might have against the United States and over any claims that the United States might have against any Cherokee Tribe or band. Suit for such a claim was to be instituted within 2 years after the act was approved. As a result, three suits were brought before the court concerning grievances arising out of the treaties:

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(1) *The Cherokee Nation v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23199; (2) *The Eastern and Brigrant Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23212; and (3) *The Eastern Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23214.

On May 18, 1905, the court decided in favor of the Eastern Cherokees and instructed the Secretary of the Interior to identify the persons entitled to participate in the distribution of funds for payment of the claims. On June 30, 1906, the Congress appropriated more than \$1 million for this purpose. The task of compiling a roll of eligible persons was begun by Guion Miller, special agent of the Interior Department. In a decree of April 29, 1907, the court (1) vacated that part of its earlier decision that had given the Secretary of the Interior responsibility for determining the eligibility of claimants and (2) appointed Miller as a special commissioner of the Court of Claims.

The same decree also provided that the fund was to be distributed to all Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians who were alive on May 28, 1906, who could establish the fact that at the time of the treaties they were members of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe or were descendants of such persons, and that they had not been affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Eastern Cherokee or the Cherokee Nation. The decree further provided that claimants should already have applications on file with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or should file such applications with the special commissioner of the Court of Claims on or before August 31, 1907. Additionally, applications for minors and persons of unsound mind were to be filed by their parents or persons having their care and custody, and applications for persons who had died after May 28, 1906, were to be filed by their children or legal representatives.

In his report of May 28, 1909, Miller stated that 45,847 separate applications had been filed, representing a total of about 90,000 individual claimants, 30,254 of whom were enrolled as entitled to share in the fund--3,203 residing east and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi River. On June 10, 1909, the court confirmed and approved the roll, submitted by Miller in his report, of Eastern Cherokees who were entitled to a share of the fund except "so much as shall be expected (excepted) to on or before August 30, 1909." After the exceptions had been filed and investigated, Miller submitted a supplemental report and roll to the court on January 5, 1910. In this report he stated that about 11,750 exceptions had been made, that the names of 610 persons (238 east and 372 west of the Mississippi) had been added to the roll, and that the names of 44 persons (5 east and 39 west of the Mississippi) had been stricken from the roll because clerical errors in enrollment had been discovered. Thus the final figure on the total number of persons entitled to share in the fund was 30,820, of which 3,436 persons

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resided east and 27,384 resided west of the Mississippi River. On March 15, 1910, the court finally decreed that the rolls be approved and that, after certain deductions for expenditures, payments were to be made equally among the Eastern Cherokees who were enrolled. The court also authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a warrant in favor of each person.

In certifying the eligibility of the Cherokees, Miller used earlier census lists and rolls that had been made of the Cherokees by Hester, Chapman, Drennen, and others between 1835 and 1884. Copies of some of these rolls and the indexes to them are filed with the Miller records (filmed as M685). Other enrollment records used by Miller are among the classified subject files of the Bureau and are designated as "33931-11-053 Cherokee Nation."

Records

The applications contain sworn evidences of identity and were filed with the Interior Department's Office of Indian Affairs until April 29, 1907 (the last application was No. 22268), after which the applications were filed directly with the court. The application required each claimant to state fully his or her English and Indian names, residence, age, place of birth, name of husband or wife, name of tribe, and names of children. It further required the English and Indian names of the claimant's parents and grandparents, place of their birth, place of their residence in 1851 if they were living at that time, dates of their death, and a statement as to whether any of them had ever before been enrolled as Indians for annuities or other benefits and, if so, with what tribe. Each claimant was also to furnish the names of all brothers and sisters, with their ages and residences, and the names and residences of all uncles and aunts. Applications were required to be made under oath and to be supported by affidavits of two witnesses who were well acquainted with the applicant. With each application is a card showing final action taken and the reasons therefore. Filed with many of the applications are inquiries concerning the status of the cases, requests for further evidence, protests about unfavorable actions, form letters that had been sent by the special commissioner to the applicants as notices of rejection of their applications and returned by the Post Office Department as unclaimed, affidavits and statements of witnesses, powers of attorney, and last wills and testaments. The applications are arranged by the number assigned at the time the application was received. There are some gaps in the application numbers; these are explained on insert sheets at the appropriate places on the film. The index is arranged alphabetically by name (either English or Indian) of claimant.

Many of the files contain a cross-reference card to other applications. This cross-reference card often refers to the EX file, the report on exceptions filed by Miller on January 5, 1910.

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Related Records

The records reproduced in this microfilm publication are part of the records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Service (NARS) designated as Records of the U.S. Court of Claims, Record Group (RG) 123. Among related records in this record group are additional records relating to Miller's enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees. These include receipts for Treasury warrants and miscellaneous correspondence, 1906-11. The original of these records is in RG 123; a copy is in RG 75.

Some related records in Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, RG 75, have been reproduced as NARS Microfilm Publication T496, *Census Roll, 1835, of the Cherokee Indians East of the Mississippi and Index to the Roll*. Also in RG 75 are the classified subject files of the Bureau.

Records Relating to Enrollment of Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller, 1908-10, M685, contains the general index to Eastern Cherokee applications, 2 volumes; the report submitted by Guion Miller, May 28, 1909, 10 volumes; the roll of Eastern Cherokees, May 28, 1909; the report on exceptions filed, January 5, 1910; the supplemental roll of Eastern Cherokees, January 5, 1910; transcripts of testimony, February, 1908-March 1909, 10 volumes; various indexes and rolls of Eastern Cherokee Indians, 1851, 1854, and 1884; and miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Additional records relating to the enrollment of Eastern Cherokee Indians are in Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Record Group 48.

These records were prepared for filming by Jestine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.

No. 35151

Action: *Agut.*

Name *Oron A. Sampson* and 3. children. Residence: *Haxson Okla.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source
Art# 29174*

35151

No.

Name

Birth No.

Remarks

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Oron Patman Sampson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-621

FILED BY
ANDERSON D. CAGLE
FOR WVA

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: ~~JAMES P. SAMPSON~~ Oron Oatman Sampson,

Indian name: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Hilderbrand,

2. Residence and post office: Faxon, O.T.,

3. County: Comanche.

4. State: Oklahoma Territory,

5. How old are you? 27, Born April 25th, 1880,

6. Where were you born? Greenville, Tex.

7. Are you married? Yes?

8. Name and age of wife or husband Lillian age 28 years,

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong? ~~none~~ none *HC Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Orene Sampson, | 6 | 1901. |
| (2) | Robert Sampson, | 5 | 1902 |
| (3) | Clifford Sampson, | 2 | 1905. |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James P. Sampson,

Indian name: had none,

Mother—English name: Annie Olimpia Terry,

Indian name: Hilderbrand,

Maiden name: Terry,

12. Where were they born?

Father: Clarksville, Tex.,

Mother: Green County, Ill.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Clarksville, Tex.

Mother: Fannin County, Tex.,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: is living,

Mother: is still living,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: they never were,

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Anna Elvira Guest, Duncan, I.T.</u> | <u>March 10, 1868.</u> | <u>living</u> |
| | <u>Katie Roberta Pace, Shawnee, O.T.</u> | <u>March 8, 1870.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (2) | <u>Maggie May Bradshaw XXXX, Roff, I.T.</u> | <u>May 3, 1871.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>James William Sampson, Ryan, I.T.</u> | <u>Jan. 19, 1874.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>Robert Fuller Sampson,</u> | <u>Sept. 3, 1876.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Fred Earl Sampson,</u> | <u>Sept. 6, 1878.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Oron O. Sampson,</u> | <u>Apr 25, 1880.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Ross E. Sampson,</u> | <u>Dec. 20, 1881.</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James P. Sampson, English name,

Catherine Terry, English name,

Hilderbrand, Indian name

18. Where were they born? Grand mother Terry, nee Landers, ~~XXXXXX~~ was born in Ky.
grand father Terry was born in Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

they were living in Fannin County, Tex., in 1851,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Rhoda Terry, dead,

(2) Michael Terry, dead,

(3) James Terry,

Mangum, O.T.

(4) Nancy Zerelda Simmons, nee Terry,

Lehigh, I.T.

(5) Vagina Patterson, nee Terry,

Celeste, Tex.

(6) Susan C. Pace, nee Terry,

Mangum, O.T.

John Terry,

Moran, Tex.

Henry Clinton Terry, dead,

Mattie Henslee, nee Terry,

Joseph Lemuel Terry,

Cooper, Tex.

Hereford, Tex.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none whatever,

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my great, great, grand father on my mother's side name was James Hilderbrand, he lived near Louisville, Ky. his daughter, Rhoda married a white man name Boils, her daughter Rhoda married James Landers, her daughter, Catherine married James F. Terry, in 1838.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Catherine Terry was my grand mother on my mother's side my great, great garnd father, James Hilderbrand, lived many years prior to 1835. The Hilderbrands were Cherokee Indians and were recognized as such.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Oran Gatman Sampson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August 1907.

Joseph R. Capshaw
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 10th, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Frank Ruffner
and L. M. Brown, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Oran Gatman Sampson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and 3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person that represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Frank Ruffner
L. M. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August 1907.

Joseph R. Capshaw
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 10th, 1910

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

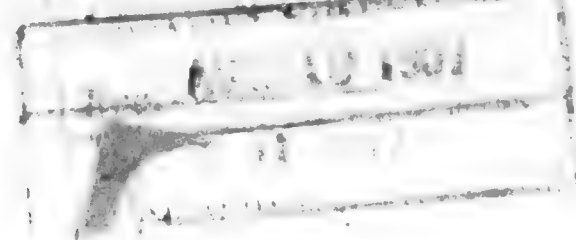
APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and
Contract

For *C. O. Sampson,*
Taxon,
Okla.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, I. T.

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Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Comanche

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Oron Oatman Sampson
for the county of Comanche state of Oklahoma do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Faxon, Okla.

G. O. Gable
J. H. Cagle
(Two witnesses who can write sign here)

O. O. Sampson
Signature.

State of Okla County of Comanche Be it known on the 10 day of August 1907

personally appeared Oron O. Sampson, who after having read over to him
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires

Dec 10 1910

Joseph R. Caplan
Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 13 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 13 day of Aug 1907

John Davis
Notary Public

No. 35152

Action: Rejected

Name: Martha Hazell Macher and children. Residence: Denton, Texas #4

Reasons: Unsettled, were not married. Did not live in Cherokee Domain and were not under its laws of 1835-6 - 1846

35152

Filed ~~May~~ ?

No. 35-15-2 ~~Newton D.~~

Name Martha M. March

With No.

Remarks:

Notified at
11 March but
failed to appear

Amcston not
on roll,

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Martha Mozell Machen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martha Mozell Machen,

Indian name: Dont Know

2. Residence and post office: Denton Texas, Route 4, Box 81

3. County: Denton

4. State: Texas,

5. How old are you? 47 Born Jan 6th 1860

6. Where were you born? State Of Alabama,

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Machen, 49 years old,

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee,

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Mrs Clara Hunt,</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>1881</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mrs Pearl Jarnigan,</u> | <u>23</u> | <u>1883</u> |
| (3) | <u>Mann Machen</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>1889</u> |
| (4) | <u>Blake Machen</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (5) | <u>Lee Machen</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>1892</u> |
| (6) | <u>Irl Machen</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1894</u> |
| 8 | <u>Doyke Machen</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>1896</u> |
| 8 | <u>Howard Machen</u> | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Gainey,

Indian name: Dont Know

Mother—English name: Annie (Whatley) Gainey,

Indian name: Dont Know

Maiden name: Annie Whatley,

12. Where were they born?

Father: State Of Alabama,

Mother: State Of Mississippi,

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: State Of Alabama,

Mother: State Of Alabama,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 2nd 1860,

Mother: Sept 29th 1873,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Never Named</u> | <u>1858</u> | <u>1858</u> |
| (2) | <u>None</u> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>Joe Gainey</u> | <u>Wiley Whatley,</u> |
| <u>Elizabeth. Gainey/,</u> | <u>Mary Whatley,</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? Grand Father On Fathers Side born in Tennessee
Grand Father On Mothers Side born in Mississippi

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? State Of Alabama,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>William Gainey,</u> | <u>Annie Whatley,</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sarah Gainey,</u> | <u>Janes Whatley</u> |
| (3) | | <u>Francis Whatley,</u> |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: On preceding page have given all the names I know,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Parents And Grand-Parents died when I was quite young in the reason I do not know their Indian Names

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martha Mozell

Martha

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July 1907.

P. B. Withers

Notary Public.

My commission expires In And For Denton County Texas,

June 1st, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. M. Bryant,
and W. W. Ridling, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Martha Mozell, Washen,
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and
7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. M. Bryant
W. W. Ridling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires June 1st 1909,

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P. B. Withers

Notary Public.

In and for Denton County Tex

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35152

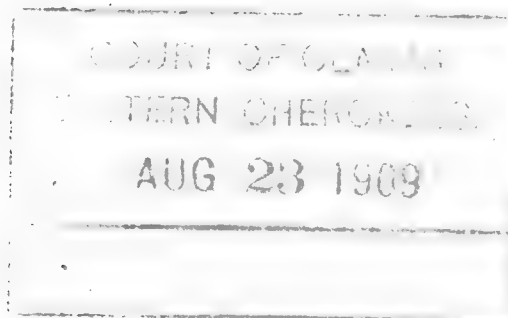
Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Martha M. Maehen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Martha M. Maehen

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined:

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you cannot answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Martha Mozell Machen

Indian name:

Martha Mozell Gaine

2. Residence and post office:

Stony

3. County:

Denton

4. State:

Texas

5. How old are you?

Forty nine

6. Where were you born?

Butler County, Alabama

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

James Machen 52

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Eastern Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME | AGE | BORN |
|-----|-----------------------|-----|------|
| (1) | Mann Machen | 20 | 1889 |
| (2) | Blake Machen | 18 | 1891 |
| (3) | Lee Machen | 16 | 1892 |
| (4) | Earl Machen | 14 | 1894 |
| (5) | Doyke Machen | 13 | 1896 |
| (6) | Howard Machen | 10 | 1898 |
| (7) | Elena Machen Hunt | 29 | 1889 |
| (8) | Pearl Machen Jarragin | 24 | 1894 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William Gaine

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Annie Gaine

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Annie Whitley

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Mississippi

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Alabama*

Mother: *Alabama*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *February 2nd A.D. 1860*

Mother: *September 29th A.D. 1873*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Yes my great grand mother has she drew supplies in Georgia with the Southern refugee Indians

16 Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------|------|------|
| (1) | <i>None living</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|---|---------------|
| <i>Father's side Elizabeth Burk Sainey</i> | |
| <i>Father's side Nancy Burk was 85 years old in A.D. 1835</i> | |

18. Where were they born? *Nancy Burk Born in North Carolina*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Alabama*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------|--|
| (1) | <i>None living</i> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *No but My Cousins are they are on the*

Final Roll of the Cherokee Nation Burk card number 3028 and James Burk card number is 1762

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grand parents back to 1835: *My father is William Baine my*

Mother Annie Baine my grand Mother Elizabeth Baine my great grand Mother is Nancy Burk.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Yes my great grand Mother was a Southern refugee Indian Cherokee Indian and her name is Nancy Burk she drew supplies in Georgia furnished to, Receipted for and by number 1666 in Georgia in the year A.D. 1836 or 1837.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 190

Notary Public.

My commission expires 190

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for years and

..... years, respectively, and know to be the identical person represents

..... to be, and that the statements made by are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 190

Notary Public.

My Commission expires 190

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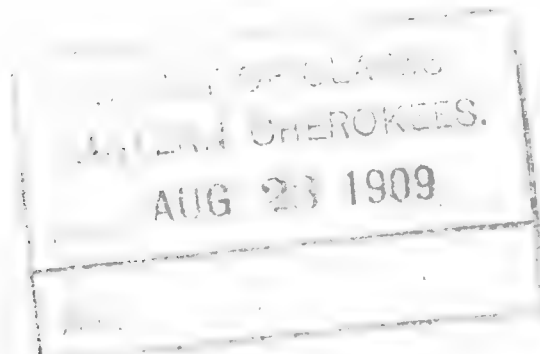
Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs Pearl Jarnagin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined:

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you cannot answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs. Pearl Jarnagin

Indian name: Pearl Machen

2. Residence and post office: Orbrey

3. County: Denton - R.D. #3 Box 99

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? Twenty-four

6. Where were you born? Bell County, Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry Jarnagin, age 30 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME | AGE | BORN |
|-----|-----------------|---------|------|
| (1) | Minnie Jarnagin | 7 years | 1902 |
| (2) | Lola Jarnagin | 5 " | 1904 |
| (3) | Earl Jarnagin | 1 " | 1905 |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |
| (7) | | | |
| (8) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Machen

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Martha M. Machen

Indian name: Gairney

Maiden name: Martha M. Gairney

12. Where were they born?

Father: Washington County, Texas

Mother: Butler County, Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Not Borned*

Mother: *11*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *living*

Mother: *living*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*My great great grand Mother has she
Drew Supplies in Georgia with the Southern Refugee Indians*

16 Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------|
| (1) | <i>Mann Machen</i> | <i>20 years</i> | |
| | <i>Stony, Texas</i> | | |
| (2) | <i>Blake Machen</i> | <i>18 "</i> | |
| | <i>Lee Machen</i> | <i>16. "</i> | |
| (3) | <i>Earl Machen</i> | <i>14 "</i> | |
| | <i>Doyke Machen</i> | <i>13 "</i> | |
| (4) | <i>Howard Machen</i> | <i>10 "</i> | |
| | <i>above are all of Stony, Texas</i> | | |
| (5) | <i>Clara Hunt</i> | <i>28 "</i> | |
| | <i>Fruit Vale, Texas</i> | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Mother Martha M. Machen
W. William Gaine
Elizabeth Burt Gaine
Nancy Burt age 85

18. Where were they born? *Nancy Burt was born in N. Carolina 1835*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Alabama*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *None living*

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *No but my Cousins were they are on the Final Roll of Cherokees Martha Burk Card number is 3028 James Burk Card number is 1762*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grand parents back to 1835: *My father is James Machen my Mother is Martha M. Machen, Grand father is William Gaine great grand Mother Elizabeth Gaine my great great grand Mother is Nancy Burk*

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Yes my great great Grand Mother was a Southern Refugee Cherokee Indian, her name is Nancy Burk she drew supplies in Georgia, furnished to, Receipted for and by Number 1666 in Georgia A.D. 1836 or 1837.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 190.....

My commission expires 190.....

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me
and, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for years and
..... years, respectively, and know to be the identical person represents
..... to be, and that the statements made by are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 190.....

My Commission expires 190.....

Notary Public.

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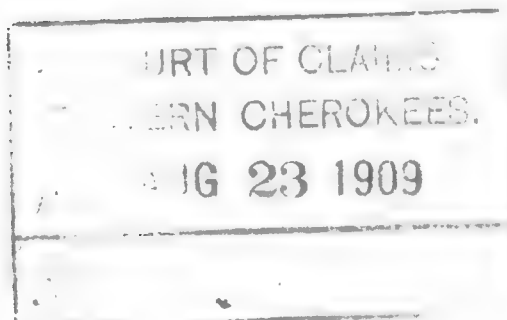
Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Clara Hunt

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined:

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you cannot answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Clara Machen Hunt*

Indian name: *Clara Machen*

2. Residence and post office: *Fruit Vale*

3. County: *Van Zandt, R. F. # 4 Box 85-*

4. State: *Texas*

5. How old are you? *Twenty-six*

6. Where were you born? *Bell County, Texas*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: *Thomas Hunt age 28 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he or~~ she belong? *Eastern Cherokee Indian*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | Child by first marriage | NAME | AGE | BORN |
|-----|-------------------------|------|----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Bertha McBee</i> | | <i>9 years</i> | <i>1900</i> |
| (2) | <i>Earl Hunt</i> | | <i>5 "</i> | <i>1904</i> |
| (3) | <i>Leslie Hunt</i> | | <i>3 "</i> | <i>1906</i> |
| (4) | | | | |
| (5) | | | | |
| (6) | | | | |
| (7) | | | | |
| (8) | | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *James Machen*

Indian name:

Mother—English name: *Martha M. Machen*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Martha M. Gairney*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Washington County, Texas*

Mother: *Butler County, Alabama*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not Born

Mother:

" "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

My great great grand mother has she
drew supplies in Georgia with the Southern Refugee Indians

16 Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---|----------|--------|
| (1) | Mom Machen Stony, Texas. | 20 years | |
| (2) | Blake Machen Lee Machen | 18 16 | " " |
| (3) | Earl Machen Doyke Machen | 14 13 | " " |
| (4) | Howard Machen above are all of Stony Tex. | 10 | " |
| (5) | Leart Machen Jernigan Ozbyey Tex R.D. 3 Box 99 | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S SIDE

Mother Martha A. Machen
b. F. William Gainer
Elizabeth Brook Gainer
Nancy Burk was 85 years
old in 1835

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

None living

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *no but my Cousins were they are on the Final Roll of the Cherokee Martha Burk's Card number is 3028 and James Burk's Card number is 1762*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grand parents back to 1835: *My father is James Machen My Mother is Martha M. Machen, Grand father William Gainer, great grand mother Elizabeth Gainer My great great grand Mother is Nancy Burke.*

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Yes My great great grand Mother was a Southern Refugee Cherokee Indian and her name is Nancy Burk she drew supplies in Georgia furnished by receipted for and by number 1666 in Georgia in A.D. 1836 or 1837

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 190.....

My commission expires 190.....

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and
Contract**

For *Martha Mozell Macker*

Deaton

Texas

Deaton County

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Denton

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Martha Mozell Machen,

for the county of Denton state of Texas, do hereby make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Denton Texas,

H. B. Smith
J. J. Murphy
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Martha Mozell Machen
Signature.

State of Texas, County of Denton. Be it known on the 16 day of July, 1907, personally appeared Martha Mozell Machen, who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 1st, 1908.
[L. S.]

P. C. M. Thero
A Notary Public In And For Denton County Texas,

And now to witness 13 day of August, 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires June 1st, 1908.

No. 3515 .

May 19, 1908.

Martha M. Pechen,

Kenton, Tex. Route 34, Box 21.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the East or Cherokee in 1891.

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by white people or Indians?

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokee as
recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted
to tribal council?

Is there any you or your parents ever to the West.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Henry Denton (acting)
Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims

Wm. Charles
Special Commissioner

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white people in the
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father and
the West
and by
as well as
respectful

Respectfully
yours

601 OURAY BUILDING,

Martha M. Lechen.

Martha M. Machon being first duly sworn deposes and says

Cherokee. I have been taught that these are parents here
Cherokees. And they are recognized as an Indian by whites and
Indians both. My father's mother's father and mother, named
Burke, held council with the Indians. Now he is an old man to
die. My great-grandmother Burke was 11 years old when she died.
She died in Cherokee County, Ga. It must have been in the old
Indian times when they first came. And went to Ga.

1908, at Fort Worth, Tex. 1974

No. 35153 -

Action: *Reject*

Name: *John Thomas Christian* and *1* children. Residence: *Payson, Co. Lincoln, Okla.*

Reasons: *Son of H. W. Christian, - No. 33681.*

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No. 35753-54

Name.....

With No. 33681

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Thomas Christian

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY
ANDERSON F. CAGLE, ---
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, - IND. TER.

AUG 10 1907

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name: *John Thomas Christian*

2. Residence and post office: *Payson*

3. County: *Lincoln*

4. State: *Alabama*

5. How old are you? *24* Born *Feb. 22* *1882*

6. Where were you born? *At Standan*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~ *Nora Sophia Warr Christian Age 21*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or ~~she~~ belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Ernest Ernest Christian</i> | <i>1 year</i> | <i>May 3, 1906</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name: *John W. Christian*

Mother—English name: *Imma ~~Patton~~ Christian*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Imma Patton*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Payson*

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: intubkuy

Mother: intubkuy

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were enrolled with you for Charlie

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|------------|--------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Mahdell Christian | May 30 1870 | |
| | pay Chandler Okla | | |
| (2) | Basdell Christian | June 25 1875 | |
| | name W. J. | Sept 3 1880 | |
| (3) | Lucy Christian | Aug 18 1880 | |
| | payson Okla | | |
| 35154- (4) | Stanley Lee Christian | March 31 1885 | |
| | payson Okla | | |
| (5) | William Wilson Christian | Dec 27 1889 | |
| | payson Okla | | |
| (6) | Robert Ray Christian | Sept 25 1891 | |
| | payson Okla | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Christian Indian grand father English
Mary Christian English grand mother English
M. Christian

18. Where were they born? mother for north Carolina father Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? intubkuy

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Ed Christian | intubkuy |
| (2) | John Christian | |
| (3) | Willie Christian | Aransas Texas |
| (4) | Samuel Christian | payson Okla |
| (5) | Lizzie Christian | payson Okla |
| (6) | Robert Christian | |
| | Tracy Christian | Stanley Okla |
| | William Christian | payson Okla |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father was christian grand
father Thomas christian great grand father
Thomas christian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The christian name was taken from the heart
of the name and gave up the name
made on the name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. L. Alspaugh
to that (Signature) John Thomas Christian
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Aug, 1907.

W. Duke

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 6, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Carl A. Hamburg
and Isaac Oday, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with John Thomas Christian
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and
5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person himself represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Carl A. Hamburg
Isaac Oday

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Aug, 1907.

W. Duke

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec - 6, 1907

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APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and
Contract

For *John Thomas Christman*
Payson
Oklahoma
Lincoln County

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Lincoln

COUNTY OF Nebraska

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

John Thomas Christian
for the county of Lincoln state of Nebraska do hereby
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in
said claim. My post office is Payson, Okla.

W. H. Spang
W. C. Christian
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

John Thomas Christian
mark, Signature.

State of Nebraska County of Lincoln. Be it known on the 3 day of Aug 1907
personally appeared John Thomas Christian, who after having read over to me
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Dec 1 1907

[L.S.]

W. H. Spang
Notary Public.

And now to witness 13 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 13 day of August 1907

My commission expires Dec 1 1907

W. H. Spang
Notary Public.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. NOV 18 1907
No. 35153

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NOV 19 1907



Payson Okla Nov 15 1907

W. S. Court of Claims
Washington D. C.

Sir as my
Application for Claim has been
on file for about 3 months.
in favor of the Eastern
Cherokees my application no is
35153 I am a quarter Indian
and have proved my right
and heard of several that has
been recieved there money
I want to know if I will get
mine or what is going to be
done so let me hear from
you by returning mail.
J. T. Christian, Payson, Okla, T. L. box 12.

No. 35154

Action: *Rejoice*

Name: *Nancy Lee C. Allenbaugh* and children.

Residence: *Payson, Okla.*

Reasons: *Daughter of # 33681*

35154

No. ~~5451~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

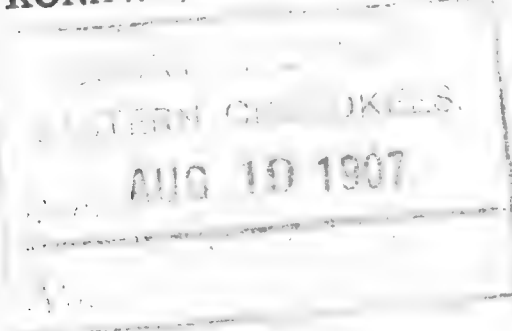
OF

Nancy Lee C. Allenburgh

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, - IND. TER.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Timothy Lee Christinger

Indian name: Timothy Lee Christian

2. Residence and post office: Payson

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 22 Born March 31 1884

6. Where were you born? Payson

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband James Earl Allenbaugh Age 27

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: William Mikibistu Christian

Mother—English name: Irina Christian

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Irina Miller

12. Where were they born?

Father: Payson

Mother: Payson

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pinlukkey

Mother: — — —

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: father was enrolled with gov for Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Malibel Christian</u> | <u>May 30 1870</u> | |
| | <u>Chandler Okla</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Bessie Christian</u> | <u>June 25 1875</u> | |
| | <u>Trumbull Okla</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Isabel Christian</u> | <u>Sept 3 1880</u> | |
| | <u>the Amburgay Okla</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>John Thomas Christian</u> | <u>Feb 28 1883</u> | |
| | <u>Payson Okla</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>William William Christian</u> | <u>Feb 27 1884</u> | |
| | <u>Payson Okla</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>Ernest May Christian</u> | <u>Sept 15 1884</u> | |
| | <u>Payson Okla</u> | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Thomas Christian</u> | <u>James Patton</u> |
| <u>Mary Amburgay</u> | <u>Polly Sutter</u> |
| <u>McChristian</u> | <u>McPatton</u> |

18. Where were they born? mother north carolina father virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pinlukkey

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Bessie Christian</u> | <u>McBarnett</u> | <u>Pinlukkey</u> |
| (2) | <u>John Christian</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Willie Christian</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>Isabel Christian</u> | <u>one hand</u> | <u>Pinlukkey</u> |
| (5) | <u>Lizbeth Christian</u> | <u>one month</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Robert parish Christian</u> | | |
| | <u>Monkey Christian</u> | <u>one Amburgay</u> | <u>Pinlukkey</u> |
| | <u>Timy Christian</u> | <u>one Stanley</u> | |
| | <u>William Wilbister Christian</u> | | <u>Payson Okla</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No Sir

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father was Christian great
father Thomas Christian great grand father
Thomas Christian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The Christian name is from the
Christian name to name and grand up
our name was in the name

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) David Lee Christian Amburgey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Aug, 1907.

W. H. Duke

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 6, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Carl A. Amburgey
and Isaac Aday, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Nancy Lee, Indian (Amburgey)

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Carl A. Amburgey
Isaac Aday

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug, 1907.

W. H. Duke

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 6, 1909

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APPLICATION

Power of Attorney and
Contract

Nancy Lee Christian ^{Allenbaugh}
For

Payson

Oklahoma

Lincoln County

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 10 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Alabama

COUNTY OF Lincoln

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

for the county of Lincoln state of Alabama do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Payson, Okla.

Carl A. Gaudin
Isaac Adair
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Nancy Lee Christian Allenbaugh
Signature.

State of Okla County of Lincoln Be it known on the 5 day of Aug 1907 personally appeared Nancy Lee Christian Allenbaugh who after having read over to her in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid my attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Dec 1 1907

[L. S.]

And now to witness 13 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 13 day of August 1907

Notary Public
W. J. Dean
day 4. Nov.

No. 35155

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Sullie W. Moon* and *2* children. Residence: *Brownwood - Texas.*

Reasons:

2nd cousin of #24441

35155

No. 35755

Name *John H. [unclear]*

With No. 3133

Remarks:

No. 35157

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sallie N. Moore

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Lillie Marrius Moore
English name: Lillie Marrius Moore
Indian name: Don't know
2. Residence and post office: Brownwood
3. County: Brown
4. State: Indo
5. How old are you? 25 yrs. Born April 25, 1882
6. Where were you born? Brown County Indo
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband Thallie Moore
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? he more she to herotsee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>William J. Moore</u> | <u>nearly 4 yrs.</u> | <u>Sept. 23, 1903</u> |
| (2) | <u>James H. Moore</u> | <u>2 yrs.</u> | <u>July 6, 1904</u> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Asa Small Matthews
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Georgia Ann Matthews
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Georgia Ann Lovel

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: Hopkins County Indo
Mother: Kaufman County Indo

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: was not born

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | James Lewis Matthews Brownwood Tex | Feb. 22. 1878 | |
| (2) | John H. Matthews Byrds. Tex | Aug. 30. 1880 | |
| (3) | Susan Jane Van Hux Brownwood Tex | Feb. 28. 1884 | |
| (4) | Mary Britannia Allen Lee Day Tex | May 12. 1885 | |
| (5) | Benj F. Matthews Groover Tex. | March 16. 1890 | |
| | Ellen F. Matthews Groover Tex | April 20. 1891 | |
| (6) | Georgia Alice Matthews Groover Tex | April 8. 1892 | |
| | Joe L. Matthews Groover Tex | June 27. 1898 | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|----------------|
| L. A. Matthews | Geo. W. Lovel |
| Williamia Matthews | Sallie Lovel |

18. Where were they born? in Tennessee & Ala.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Rush County Mo for Matthews
don't know where Lovels lived then

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Daniel W. Matthews | Post office Vance Tex |
| (2) | Rebecca Merriam Wells | Vance Tex |
| (3) | John A. Matthews | Comstock Tex |
| (4) | Hsa S. Matthews | Groover, Tex |
| (5) | Jas. H. Matthews | Vance " |
| (6) | Joe F. " | Dead |
| | Ruth J McAllister | Gateville Tex |
| | Wm H. Matthews | Comstock Tex |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. Asa S. Matthews is my father
Lewis & Mittenia Matthews grand parents and
Wallace Robinson & wife were great grand parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grand mother & the mother of Joseph Warren
Litchfield were sisters.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sallie Narcissus Moore
(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

B. E. Swift

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 12, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Dutton
and J. M. Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sallie Narcissus Moore
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and
her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Dutton

J. M. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

B. E. Swift

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 12, 1907

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APPLICATION
Power of Attorney and
Contract

For *Jellie N. Moore*

Brownwood

Brown County

Texas

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, I. T.

CLAIMS
RECORDED
4011 1907

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF

Texas

COUNTY OF

Brown

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Sallie Narcissus Moore

for the county of

Brown

state of

Texas

do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Winnwood Tex.

H. S. Tipton

Sallie Narcissus Moore

Signature.

J. H. Johnson

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of

Texas

County of

Brown

Be it known on the

5

day of

Aug

1907

personally appeared

Mr. Sallie Narcissus Moore

, who after having read over to

her

in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires

June 1st

1909

[L. S.]

W. L. Linn
Notary Public

And now to witness

13

day of

August

1907

, I accept the foregoing declara-

tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this

13

day of

Aug

1907

No. 35156

Action: Reject

Name Charity Strickland and X children. Residence: Gillsville, Ga

Reasons:

Cheek of 8395 and Claims through the
same source.

35156

No. 5756
Name
With No. 2637
Remarks:

No. 35100

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charity Strickland

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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21

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— *Charity Strickland*
English name: *Charity Strickland*
Indian name: *Watee*
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: *Gillsville*
4. County: *Banks*
5. State: *Georgia*
6. Date and place of birth: *1884. Banks Co Ga.*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *Through Great Grand Father and mother*
8. Are you married? *Yes.*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *John, Strickland*
27 years old.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Ward Washburn*
Indian name: *Axe*
Mother—English name: *Correlia Washburn*
Indian name: *Watee*
Maiden name: *Correlia Crow*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In Banks Co Ga.*
Mother: *In Banks Co. Ga.*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *Not living at That time*
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Living* Mother: *Living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Mandie Washburn | 1883 | Living |
| (2) | Viola Washburn ^{Owery} | 1887 | " |
| (3) | Lester Washburn | 1889 | " |
| (4) | Oscar Washburn | 1892 | " |
| (5) | Lizzie Washburn | 1894 | " |
| (6) | Mamie Washburn | 1896 | " |
| (7) | Charles Washburn | 1907 | " |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Frank Perkins | Cassie Crow |
| Rachel Washburn | Alfred Crow |
| (Axe) | (Water) |

17. Where were they born? Spartanburg S.C.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dr. Habersham Co. Ga.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| (1) English name: | Francis Washburn |
| Indian name: | Axe |
| Residence: | Banks Co Ga. |
| (2) English name: | Raeann Washburn |
| Indian name: | Axe |
| Residence: | Banks Co Ga Wheatley Ark. |
| (3) English name: | Jane Washburn |
| Indian name: | Axe |
| Residence: | Banks Co |
| (4) English name: | Jones Washburn |
| Indian name: | Axe |
| Residence: | Banks Co |
| (5) English name: | Chas. Washburn |
| Indian name: | Axe |
| Residence: | Banks Co |

| |
|--------------|
| Frank Crow |
| Martha Scott |
| Wm. Crow |
| Alfred Crow |
| Mandy Crow |
| Lucy Cox |
| Mary Crow |

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Bird Washburn, Cornelia Washburn
Frank Perkins Rachel Washburn
Alfred Crow and Cassia Crow.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Charity Strickland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug., 1907

My commission expires
March 31st, 1908.

AA White

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. McDaniel and
Mrs. E. L. White, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with Charity Strickland who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and 10 years,
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and
that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Sula G.

Homer G.

W. M. McDaniel

Mrs. E. L. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug., 1907

My commission expires
March 31st, 1908.

AA White

Notary Public.

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No. 35157

Action: Reject

Name Rosana Franklin and 3 children. Residence: Gore, Ga.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled
or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee.

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No. 35-15-7

Name Rosana Franklin

With No.

Remarks:

Ancient not
on rolls.

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No. 35157

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

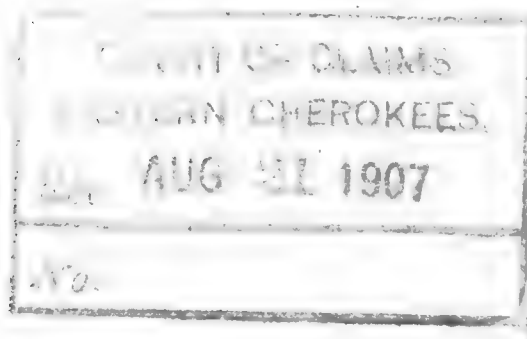
APPLICATION

OF

Rosana Franklin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— My Maiden name was Rosana Roper
English name: My name now is Rosana Franklin.
Indian name: Green, my grandfather's name.
2. Residence and post office: Gore,
3. County: Chattooga
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 34 years old Born in the year 1873.
6. Where were you born? in Fannin County, Georgia
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: W. L. Franklin, 39 years old.
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? not any.
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Martha Franklin</u> | <u>12 yrs.</u> | |
| (2) | <u>John Franklin</u> | <u>9 ..</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Rosa Franklin</u> | <u>1 ..</u> | |
| (4) | <u>~</u> | <u>~</u> | |
| (5) | <u>~</u> | <u>~</u> | |
| (6) | <u>~</u> | <u>~</u> | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Earl Roper
Indian name: ~
Mother—English name: ~~Anna~~ Green
Indian name: Green
Maiden name: Vina

12. Where were they born?

Father: cannot tell.
Mother: Fannin County Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cannot tell

Mother: in Fannin County Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother has enrolled under
such a claim as this

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>I havent any</u> | | |
| | <u>brothers or sisters</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>~~~~~</u> | <u>~~~~~</u> | |
| (3) | <u>~~~~~</u> | <u>~~~~~</u> | |
| (4) | <u>~~~~~</u> | <u>~~~~~</u> | |
| (5) | <u>~~~~~</u> | <u>~~~~~</u> | |
| (6) | <u>~~~~~</u> | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|-------------------------|
| <u>can Roper no indian name</u> | <u>Wree indian name</u> |
| | |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Grand Mother in eastern Cherokee Nation
Can't tell where grand father was born.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Green</u> | <u>(dead)</u> |
| (2) | <u>James Green</u> | <u>don't know where he is.</u> |
| (3) | <u>John Green</u> | <u>" " " " " "</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sarah Green</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My mother's mother was Dillie Stinson, Stinson
maiden name, My grandfather's name was John Gree.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My mother told me when a child, and
also grandfather, that they had
Indian blood in them.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rosana mark Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

G M Christian, J.P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

December, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Josephine Franklin
and Charly Franklin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Rosana Franklin
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 34 years and
34 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Josephine Franklin
Charly Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

December, 1909. J J Mainham
Notary Public. J.P.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 3417.

May 12, 1908.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. L.

Dear Sirs:

My dear Sirs:

In your application for participation in the distribution of the Eastern Churches fund, you state that your father was enrolled with the Eastern Churches. This was not used by him in enrollment, as the same was in your application will be used on any Eastern Churches roll.

Did he ever live with the Eastern Churches? Did he ever live with their tribes?

Why was your name not enrolled with the Eastern Churches?

Is your name on the list of the Eastern Churches? Is your name on the list of the Eastern Churches?

Respectfully,

Very truly yours,

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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C. G. BLACKWELL

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Rosana Franklin

Born April 29 1906

110 Children dead

*By C. G. Blackwell
Rosana Franklin*

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Lore Ya

Aug 1st 1907

Mr. [illegible]

Dear Sir

I in answer to your letter of the 10th 1909 will say that my wife Rosana Franklin died July 3rd 1908 who was the applicant of No. 5157 for participation in the Claims of the Eastern Cherokee.

will further say that she had three minor children when she made her application to said fund. That she died the day that she was to appear ^{before} special agent Fred. B. [illegible] at Summerville Georgia for examination.

In conclusion will say that I am prepared to prove her death also of children she had and that she was of Cherokee descent can prove her ancestry back to 1858 and her Indian and English name and as her husband would like to have instruction as how to proceed to get her claim reestablished or make out claims for her children.

Any information in the above will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly

P. G. Adair
Lore Ya

W. F. Franklin

No. 35158

Action: Reject

Name Eliza E. Dillard and X children. Residence: Mc Gay, Tenn.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846, or that any ancestor was ever enrolled. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

35158

No 3515-8

Name Eliza E. Dillard

With No. ...

Remarks: 35152, 35160,

✓
35108
No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Eliza E. Dillard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

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| U. S. CLAIMS |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Eliza E. Dilliant
Waters

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office: 112 Mile E of McWay's Run,

3. County:

De Kalb

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

56

Born

July 21-1851

6. Where were you born?

In De Kalb County Ga.

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | 35159-35160 | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

John Dilliant Malindy Dilliant - Mother - Nicholson

(Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Malindy Nicholson

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Malindy Nicholson

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Habersham County Ga

Mother:

(Same)

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Swing in Pannine County Ia

Mother:

"

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Dec 1874

Mother:

Dec 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Never.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John Dillman | | 1873 |
| | Samh Dillman | | 1873 |
| (2) | Wm Dillman | | 1875 |
| (3) | Sam Dillman | | 1871 |
| (4) | Mary Jane Dillman | | |
| | Charles Dillman | 1848 | Swing |
| (5) | Davis Dillman | 1862 | " |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

None

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Rachel Waters,

18. Where were they born?

Mother was born in Holsham Co Ia,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Holsham,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

Josh Nicholson

(2)

Polley Nicholson

(3)

Sally Nicholson

(4)

Curtis Nicholson

(5)

Martha Ann Nicholson

(6)

Isabel Nicholson

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't remember;

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my grand mother Rachel Waters was about 12
Indian and married a Nicholas,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eliza C. x Dilliant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

Benn C. G. G. G.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

R. C. Davis

and

E. S. Williams

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Eliza C. Dilliant

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self - to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark,

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. C. Davis

E. S. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11, 1910

Benn C. G. G. G.
Notary Public.

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No. 35158.

May 19, 1907.

Eliza M. Dillard,
Madison, Tenn.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as
recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted
to tribal council?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Agent in Charge.

A. M. D.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

July 11, 1908

Application No. *35158.*

Eliza Williams
Mc Camps, Ga.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in
the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in
favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that

Frank D. Ryan

one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at *Blue Ridge, Ga.*

on *saturday, July 11*, 1908, at *9* o'clock
A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have
any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should
also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by
making inquiry at the *Wilson* Hotel.

Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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You were notified to appear at the office, on July 11th, before my assistant, David W. Ryan and receive additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the project of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and proceed as any witnesses, and we will not be in your section of the country again. For the purpose of this testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. If you can at possibly answer any of the questions, that is, that you may not be able to do so, please let me know.

At 11. 11. 11.

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At 11. 11. 11.

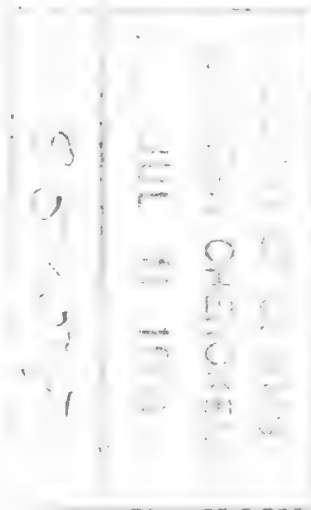
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER.
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



Eliza Dilliard
Mc Cays,

No Such Person
in State named.

Ga



No. 33-139

Action: Repeal

Name

John Doe

and

3

children.

Residence:

123 Main St

Perth

Reasons:

He is a very good man and a very good father.

35159

No. 5757-55760

Name

With No. 2378

Remarks:

Wm. H. Ward

No. 35459

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs Mary Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the dec. of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Jones,

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: M. C. Jones' Farm

3. County: Tannin

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 22

Born 1884

6. Where were you born? In Tannin County, Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sam Jones,

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee,

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Eller Jones | 4 | |
| (2) | Edgar Jones | 2 | |
| (3) | Edna Jones | 2 | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Samuel

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: In Laramie County Wm

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>William L Dillman</u> | <u>1878</u> | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Jack Dillman</u> | <u>Mahindy Dillman,</u> |
|---------------------|-------------------------|

18. Where were they born? In Nebraska County

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Nebraska

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Dillman</u> | <u>Laramie Co</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sam Dillman</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Wm Dillman</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Sam Dillman</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Mary Ann Dillman</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Clara Dillman</u> | |
| 7 | <u>Doris Dillman</u> | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Rachel Waters great-
Grand Mother,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Affiant Claim under great Grand Mother Rachel
Waters who married a Nicholas,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary James

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May, 1907.

Born C. C. C.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11, 1910,

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. C. Parrie
and E. J. Cullum, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Mary James
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and
1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. C. Parrie
E. J. Cullum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11, 1910.

Born C. C. C.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 50-02-

Action: *Admitted*

Name

W. D. [unclear] and [unclear] children.

Residence:

2014 [unclear]

Reasons:

They are the same as the 30-01-

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

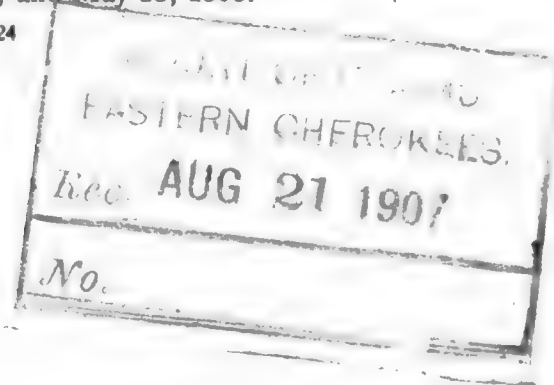
APPLICATION

OF

William L. Dillard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

William L. Dilliant

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

1 mile E of Mc Lays Tenn

3. County:

Putnam

4. State:

Tenn

5. How old are you?

29

Born

1878

6. Where were you born?

In Putnam County,

7. Are you married?

Yes,

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

wife, Bessie Hallway - 17 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

None

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Mother name Eliza E Dilliant -

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

(Same)

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Eliza E Dilliant

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

In Putnam County

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: In Tammie County, W. Va.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Jones,</u> | <u>1885</u> | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>Jack Delaney</u> | <u>Marilyn Dillan</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? In Nebraska

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Nebraska

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Delaney</u> | } <u>Tammie Co. W. Va.</u> |
| (2) | <u>David Delaney</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Mrs. Delaney</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Sam Delaney</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Mary Jane Delaney</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Charles Delaney</u> | |
| 7 | <u>David Delaney,</u> | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: You claim under
Great Mother Rachel Waters

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William L. Dickland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

Donn Crawford
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

L. C. Parvis

and

E. S. Williams

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William L. Dickland

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. C. Parvis
E. S. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11, 1907.

Donn Crawford
Notary Public.

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No. 35161.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *John Harshaw* and *3* children. Residence: *Coalbourn, Ky.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

35161

No. 35161

Name John Harshaw,

With No.

Remarks:

✓
No. 35101

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Harshart

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS |
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John Harshaw

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Coalwood

3. County: Mitchell

4. State: Kentucky

5. How old are you? 22 Born 1887

6. Where were you born? Coalwood

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hettie Harshaw aged 1

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Creek

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Don Harshaw</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (2) | <u>Clair Harshaw</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (3) | <u>Sam Harshaw</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1904</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John M. Misher

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Louisa Mcbrin

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bird County, Tenn.

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in North Carolina

Mother: in Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Father died, name not given

Mother: 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: P. C. O.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Marret Karshaw</u> | <u>about 2 years old</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Margret Karshaw</u> | <u>about 2 years old</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jane Karshaw</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (4) | <u>Ungeline Karshaw</u> | <u>6</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--|--|
| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 920

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I can prove that my mother
was a Cherokee Indian,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Harkness

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

R. L. Pope
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb. 9, 1910., 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Bond
and J. M. Barrett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with John Harkness
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and
4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry Bond
J. M. Barrett

Henry Bond
J. M. Barrett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Feb. 9, 1910., 1907.

R. L. Pope
Notary Public.

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No. 35161.

May 14, 1890 .

John Fordner,
Coalport, Ky.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
traded with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees or
recognize them as their tribe? Were they admitted to
tribal council?

Give the names of your grandparents. State where
they were living in 1835.

Were your parents treated as slaves? If so, were they
owned by white, colored or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Yours,

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AS THE...

H. W. BOND,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
WILLIAMSBURG, KY.

Dear Sir:

January 1905

Guion Miller

Commissioner

Dear Sir:

I have application for

admission to the office of Bishop Miller

and I am hopeful that it is

approved. You will please

inform me what I must

do to become the same.

Very respectfully,

J. H. Miller

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. | |
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| No. | |

MOSES N. HARSHAW
ATTORNEY AT LAW

LENOIR, N. C.

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1909

Mr. John Harsham
Coalmont Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter to hand
I do not know the name of your
Grand Mother. Your Mother's name
was "Linda" I don't know who her
Mother was. Your Mother had Indian
blood in her.

We are all well.

Very Truly
M. N. Harshaw

I have been thinking
of you very much lately,
and I am glad to hear
that you are well.
I hope you will soon
be able to get up again.
And now I have got my proof
and I present you with
this book which is my witness
to the fact that I am
mother and not in love. I cannot
not tell you, but I must

It was because she was
taken away about 1845
at the age of 10.

It was because she was
about 10 years old & can
make good friends -
mother & father
more so than the mother
but I am not sure.

It was because she was
taken away about 1845
at the age of 10.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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exp. let.

and in 1871 we by Moses
assured that the
M. H. had been there
for her and family of it.
if it is now more interesting
to me we will make
it so.

J. H. H. H. H. H.
Columbia, Mo.

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|---------------------------------------|
| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. SEP 11 1909 |
| No. 35161 |

enc. let.

Boalmont, Cal.

Dear Sir,

I have

the honor

to inform you concerning my
India claims.

I have written to the me

at the 1st of March.

I have also written to the

at the 1st of March.

I have also written to the

at the 1st of March.

Yours truly,

No. 35162

Action: Reject

Name Martha J. McMillan and 4 children.

Residence: Board Camp, Ark.

Reasons: Sister of 31509.

35162

No 35-162.

Name Martha J. McMichael

With No. 31509.

Remarks:

No. 35162

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

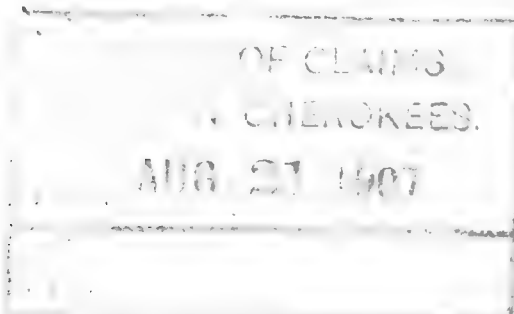
APPLICATION

OF

Martin J. Mc. Thum

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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LYON & LYON.

1416 F St. Wash

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs Martha Jane McMillan

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Board Camp

3. County: Polk

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 48 Born March 8 A.D. 1859

6. Where were you born? Clarks ville Johnson County Ark.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William B McMillan Age 54

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>J. W. McMillan</u> | <u>33</u> | <u>1874</u> |
| (2) | <u>E. D. " "</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>1881</u> |
| (3) | <u>Leona " "</u> | <u>23</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (4) | <u>J. A. " "</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>1887</u> |
| (5) | <u>Ida " "</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (6) | <u>Charley " "</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| | <u>Adas " "</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1896</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Levin Swift Mullin

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Caroline Mullin

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Caroline Taylor

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>John L. Mullin</i> | _____ | _____ |
| | <i>Thomas Chla.</i> | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?.....

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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|-----|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Parents died when I was a child (very young)
Have not ^{lived} near any of my near relatives since I was eight
years old. John K. Mullin of Idaho has the family record
of my

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Martha Jane McMillan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

L. F. Purvis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

_____, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. F. Purvis

and G. B. Ellison, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Martha Jane McMillan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. F. Purvis

G. B. Ellison

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My commission expires

_____, 190 .

L. F. Purvis

Notary Public.

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A Certificate of My Qualification
has sent to your office recently and
is on file I suppose

F. D. Purvis, J. D.

No. 35163.

Action: Repeat

Name

John A. Champion, X children.

Residence:

Perkins, Okla.

Reasons:

Witness not sworn, no official testimony taken in this case, statement of applicant not of sufficient strength to establish a genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

35163

No. 35763

Name Jno. F. Lechampion

With No.

Remarks:

No. 15101

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

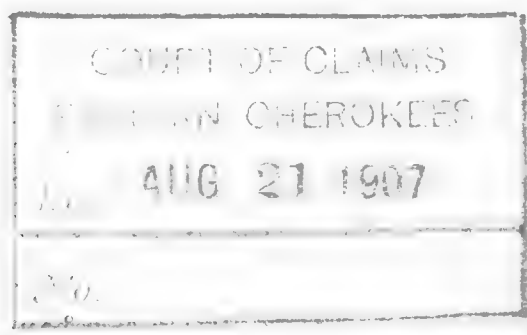
OF

John F. Thompson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Dancy & Co.

Stinson & Co.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>a home</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dead
Mother: Bedford Co. Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1833
Mother: 1860

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Chase</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Had four, but they have been dead several years.</u> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| <u>Chompson</u> | <u>Freeman Borron.</u> |
| <u>Chompson</u> | <u>Full blood Indian</u> |
| <u>Did before B</u> | <u>Wincy Albright</u> |
| <u>was born.</u> | <u>was her maiden name</u> |
| <u>about 1800</u> | <u>Indian Albright</u> |
| | <u>full blood</u> |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Bath dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>all dead.</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I go back to 1833

Jefferson Thompson father, Phasher
Burrow, my mother, Colbright
was her mother's mother's name
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I get my Indian blood from my
mother, Burrow, and her mother
was an Colbright.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John F. Thompson
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.
John H. Vaught
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 25, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. H. Kirk
and J. H. Shopner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with John F. Thompson,
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 60 years and
60 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. H. Kirk
J. H. Shopner
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 25, 1909, John H. Vaught
Notary Public.

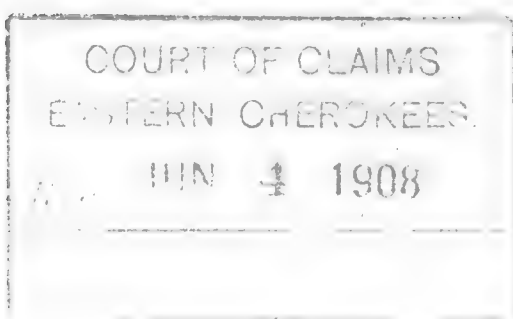
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a minor headlight
 (1875)
 What is the only
 thing that will
 make me
 happy & I
 will be
 a man (Nonsense)

U. S. Court of
Claims
for
Eastern Cherokee
Bray Dooling
Washington, D. C.

James Chapman



No. 35143.

May 19, 1900.

John T. Channon,

Plavna, Wilcox Co., Ala.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled
with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851. Where were you living
at that time?

Did you ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as
a recognized member of their tribe?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by
white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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PLEVNA, ALA. June 27 1908

Mr. Simon Miller

Dear Sir:

I just received your letter
in regard to my going to
Monteville to meet Mr.
Charles H. Bradley to give
my testimony relative to my claims,
am very sorry that I did not
get the letter in time to go.
but did not get it till the 27th
where and when can I meet
him again. would be glad
to know. Please answer at once

Yours truly
J. A. Fuqua

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JUL 24 1908
No. 33-163

Stevenson Ala
July 29th 1908
Gideon Miller Esqr -
Sp. Comm. Court of Claims
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

I did not get the
notice to meet your deputy
at Huntsville in time, as I
live some distance from p.o.
so I did not have a chance
to make proof in support of
my claim. Now how can
I get my proof in?
Please advise me in

2

The matter -
Yours Truly
John F. Champion
Olevna Ala

435163.

July 24, 1938.

John F. Champion,

Floyd, Ala.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of July 12, 1938, in which you state that you did not receive notice to appear before my assistant in order to give testimony in regard to your Eastern Shoshone claim in time to do so, you are advised that in case further evidence is necessary you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commis. Forest.

WJA/700/

No. 35164

Action: *Reject*

Name *George W. Smithers* and *2* children. Residence: *Paint Rock, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Brother of #34839, and claims through the same
ancestors.*

35164

No. 55164

Name

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 33301

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George W. Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. H. Wang
Attorney

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

and 2 minor children

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *George W. Smithers*
Indian name: *Do not know*

2. Residence and post office: *Opunt Rock*

3. County: *Jackson*

4. State: *Alabama*

5. How old are you? *62* Born *August 26 1844*

6. Where were you born? *New Hope, Alabama*

7. Are you married? *Yes* # *35170*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Mary Smithers Aged 56*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Eastern Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) <i>George Smithers</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>Dec 15 1873</i> |
| (2) <i>Samuel Smithers</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>Aug 6 1876</i> |
| (3) <i>Andrew Smithers</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>Jan 13 1877</i> |
| (4) <i>James Smithers</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>Aug 27 1877</i> |
| (5) <i>Mary Smithers</i> | <i>26</i> | <i>Aug 16 1881</i> |
| (6) <i>Lottie Smithers</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>Nov 24 1883</i> |
| (7) <i>Willie Smithers</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>Aug 2 1888</i> |
| (8) <i>S. R. Smithers</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>July 17 1890</i> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

George W. Smithers Candice Jacobs

Father—English name: *George Smithers*

Indian name: *Do not know*

Mother—English name: *Candice Jacobs*

Indian name: *Do not know*

Maiden name: *Candice Jacobs*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *North Carolina*

Mother: *North Carolina*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: New Hope Alabama

Mother: New Hope Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: In the fall of 1851

Mother: In the fall of 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|------------|----------------|-------------------------|-------|
| #35167-(1) | Emily Rowan | Sept 29 1832 | |
| (2) | M. J. Smithers | 1842 1849 | 1863 |
| (3) | W. B. Smithers | 1840 | 1869 |
| (4) | J. A. Smithers | April 22 1846 | |
| (5) | Mary Churchill | 1848 | 1882 |
| #35169-(6) | S. A. Smithers | Oct 10 1852 | |
| #35168-(7) | H. C. Smithers | Aug 12 1850 | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Robert Rowan</u> | <u>James Jones</u> |
| | <u>William Robinson</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? Both in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both in North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|----------|
| (1) | <u>Samuel</u> | |
| (2) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nothing
Addeender
great-grand-father Abram Smithers
great-grand-mother Jersey Smithers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George W. Smithers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July, 1907.

W. J. Peters

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 10, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Peters
and W. W. Gibson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with George W. Smithers
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 38 years and
50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 10, 1907.

W. J. Peters

Notary Public.

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No. 35165

Action: Reject

Name Josie Shephard and 1 children. Residence: Paint Rock, Ala.

Reasons:

Niece of #34839, and claims through the same
ancestors.

35165

No. 55165-55170

Name

With No. 54557

Remarks:

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No. 13113

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

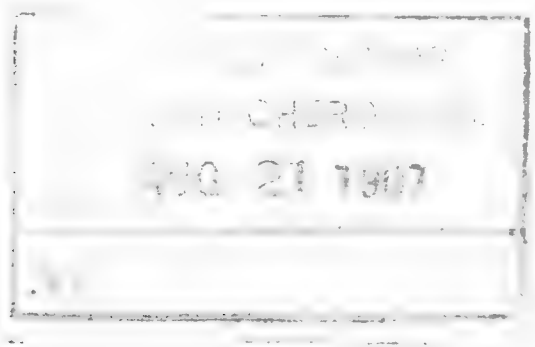
APPLICATION

OF

Joseph Shepherd

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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and residence is present

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Gloyd Shepard | 4 | Feb 1 st 1903 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Garner Smithers | Dec 15 th /73 | |
| (2) | Everett Smithers | Aug 6 th /76 | |
| (3) | Archibald Smithers | Jan 13 th /77 | |
| (4) | James Smithers | Aug 27 th /79 | |
| (5) | Margaret Smithers | Aug 16 th /81 | |
| (6) | Alice Smithers | Aug 2 nd /88 | |
| (7) | G. R. Smithers | July 17 th /90 | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Not known

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George Scott
Rachel Updegraff

18. Where were they born? Known not

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Known not

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: Cannot

| | |
|-----|-------|
| (1) | ..... |
| (2) | ..... |
| (3) | ..... |
| (4) | ..... |
| (5) | ..... |
| (6) | ..... |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Caanied

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Josie Shepard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1907.

W. M. Gormanley
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. B. Peters

and

W. W. Gibson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Josie Shepard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Indian

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters

W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909 W. M. Gormanley
Notary Public.

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No. 35166

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mamie Conyers* and *1* children. Residence: *Paint Rock, Ala.*

Reasons:

Niece of #34839, and claims through the same ancestors.

35166

No. 351611

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

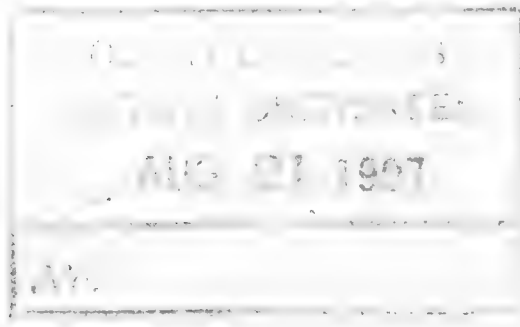
OF

Marion C. Gentry

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y

Stinson
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

and 1 minor child

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Marion Carrers*

Indian name: *Donat hooer*

2. Residence and post office: *Point Rock*

3. County: *Jackson*

4. State: *Alabama*

5. How old are you? *26* Born *Aug 16 1881*

6. Where were you born? *near Point Rock Ala*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: *Ram Carrers Age 29*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Eastern Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| (1) | <i>Marque Carrers</i> | <i>July 16/99</i> | <i>8</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *George Carrithers*

Indian name: *Donna*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Carrithers*

Indian name: *Donat hooer*

Maiden name: *Nancy Upton*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *near Coffee Ala*

Mother: *Cherokee county Ala*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Governor Smithers | Dec 15/73 | |

| | | | |
|-----|------------------|-----------|--|
| (2) | Everett Smithers | Aug 6*/76 | |
|-----|------------------|-----------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| (3) | David Benson Smithers | June 13/77 | Aug 17*/03 |
|-----|-----------------------|------------|------------|

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|-----|----------------|-----------|--|
| (4) | James Smithers | Aug 27/79 | |
|-----|----------------|-----------|--|

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|-----|-----------------|-----------|--|
| (5) | Jessie Smithers | Nov 24/83 | |
|-----|-----------------|-----------|--|

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|-----|---------------|-----------|--|
| (6) | Alma Smithers | Aug 2*/88 | |
|-----|---------------|-----------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|----------------|------------|--|
| (7) | G. R. Smithers | July 17/90 | |
|-----|----------------|------------|--|

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Robt Benson</u> | <u>George Scott</u> |
| | <u>Rachel Upton</u> |
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18. Where were they born? Kanawast

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kanawast

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Kanawast</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mescalero

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Garza et

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mamil Conyers.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July, 1907.

W. M. Garza et
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Peters

and W. W. Gibson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mamil Conyers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909. W. M. Garza et
Notary Public.

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No. 35167

Action: Reject

Name Emily Rowan and children. Residence: Paint Rock, Ala.

Reasons:

Sister of #34839, and claims through the same ancestors.

35167

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Carroll R. Pearson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y

Stennings
Att'y



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Emmily Rowan

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Paint Rock

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 75 Born September 29, 1832

6. Where were you born? Union Alabama

7. Are you married? A widow

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: Jordan Rowan Aged 50

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he or~~ she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Sam Rowan</u> | <u>Rec'd</u> | <u>lost</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sallie Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>Della Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Cassie Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>Elizabeth Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>Riley Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (7) | <u>Casabianca Rowan</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

G. W. & Pardie Smithers. Pardie Jacobs

Father—English name: George Smithers

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Pardie Jacobs

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Pardie Jacobs

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Near Hope, Alabama

Mother: Near Hope, Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: In the fall of 1851

Mother: In the fall of 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>W. J. Smithers</u> | <u>1842</u> | <u>1863</u> |

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (2) | <u>W. B. Smithers</u> | <u>1840</u> | <u>1869</u> |
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| (3) | <u>J. A. Smithers</u> | <u>April 22nd 1846</u> | |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|

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|-----|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (4) | <u>Mary Churchman</u> | <u>1848</u> | <u>1882</u> |
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|-----|-----------------------|--|--|
| (5) | <u>G. W. Smithers</u> | <u>Augst 26th 1844</u> | |
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| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| (6) | <u>S. D. Smithers</u> | <u>Oct 10th 1852</u> | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| (7) | <u>H. C. Smithers</u> | <u>Aug 12th 1850</u> | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Not known

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Isaac Jacobs

Vicie

18. Where were they born? Both in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Cornet

(2) " "

(3) " "

(4) " "

(5) " "

(6) " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nothing Addeardann
Great Grand-father's name. Abner Smithers
Great Grand-mother's name. Ginevy Smithers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Carriby x Rowan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1907.

W. M. Gorman
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Peters

and W. W. Gibson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Carriby Rowan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 38 years and 38 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909. W. M. Gorman
Notary Public.

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No. 35167.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 6, 1908.

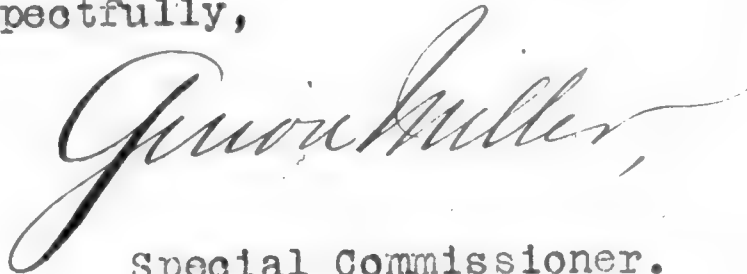
Emily Rowan,

Point Rock, Ala.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the
birth of Casabianca Rowan, giving day, month and year.
If any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

ALL Casabianca Rowan. Born March 11 1878.
Died December 24 1891. Emily Rowan

No. 35168

Action: Reject

Name H. C. Smithers and children. Residence: Paint Rock, Ala.

Reasons:

Brother of #34839, and claims through the same ancestors.

35168

No. 35104

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

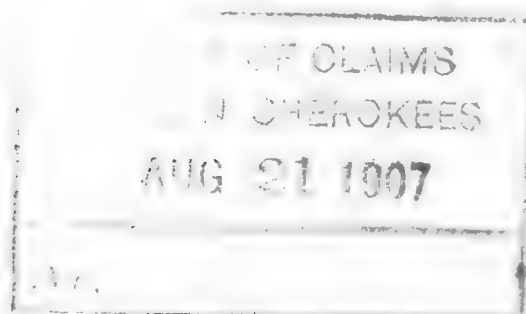
OF

H. C. Smithers

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y.

Stinson
Att'y.



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

H. C. Smithers

Indian name:

Donat herson

2. Residence and post office:

Paint Rock

3. County:

Jackson

4. State:

Alabama

5. How old are you?

56

Born

Aug 12 1850

6. Where were you born?

near Rocke Ala

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Callie Smithers Age 58

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | John M. S. | 34 | Donat herson |
| (2) | Mary E. S. | 31 | " " |
| (3) | Savva E. S. | 30 | " " |
| (4) | Minnie S. | 28 | " " |
| (5) | Alice S. | 26 | " " |
| (6) | Candy C. S. | 24 | " " |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

George & Prudie Smithers Prudie Jacobs

Father—English name:

George Smithers

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Prudie Jacobs

Indian name:

Donat herson

Maiden name:

Prudie Jacobs

12. Where were they born?

Father:

North Carolina

Mother:

North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: New Hope, Ala

Mother: New Hope, Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Fall of 1851

Mother: Fall of 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Samuel Bowman</u> | <u>Sept 29/32</u> | |
| (2) | <u>M. J. Smithers</u> | <u>1842</u> | <u>1863</u> |
| (3) | <u>W. E. Smithers</u> | <u>1840</u> | <u>1869</u> |
| (4) | <u>J. A. Smithers</u> | <u>April 22/46</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Mary Churchman</u> | <u>1848</u> | <u>1882</u> |
| (6) | <u>S. A. Smithers</u> | <u>Oct 1/52</u> | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robt Bowman

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Isaac Jacobs

18. Where were they born? Both in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both in Ala

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------|----------|
| (1) | <u>Born not</u> | |
| (2) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nothing, Addendum
Great-Grand-Parents
Abram and Giney Smithers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) A. C. ^{his} Smithers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

W. W. Garrison
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Peters

and W. W. Gibson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with A. C. Smithers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and 50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909 W. W. Garrison
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE

PAINT ROCK, ALA.,

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Genl Miller
Washington
D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I refer you to application
#35168, please give me information
as to my application at once.

Yours Very Truly

H. C. Smithers

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| COURT OF CLAIMS | |
| EASTERN CHEROKEES | |
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PAINT ROCK, ALA., *Aug 6* 1908

Mr. Union Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

*In regard to the Eastern
Cherokee enrollment claims,*

*You will please notify me
when you think they will begin
to pay them off*

and Oblige

Yours Truly

H. C. Smith

Smithers

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circ. 1st

17. 21. 1880
Dear Mr. Miller
I have just received
your letter of the 17th inst. and
am glad to hear that you
are well. I am also well and
hope to hear from you again
soon. I am very truly
yours
Wm. S. Miller

At a Court held at R. Mendon
for the purpose of
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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San Francisco

Jan 13-1907

Simon Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

We would
like to know when
you are ready to settle
off these claims.
We hold them from
your power. No more.

Yours truly
H. B. Smith

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Reo. MAY 10 1909
No. 35168

~~Wm. H. H.~~

Paint Rock, Ala.

Mar. 5 1909

Mr. Guion Miller

Dear Sir: - Yours of Jan. 18. 1909.
to hand, and contents noted.
You, advised me, that you was
making every effort to complete the
enrollement so that you could
make your report to the ~~ext~~
Court during the month of May.
I wish you would please advise
me as soon, as the ~~court~~ roll
finally approved by the Court.
What time do you think you can
get the Court to make settlement

Let me hear from you
Very Respectfully Yours,
H. C. Smithers

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 19 1909
No. 35168

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Paul Revere

5.16.29

Dear Mr. [illegible]

I have [illegible]

the [illegible]

of [illegible]

and [illegible]

the [illegible]

of [illegible]

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 5 1909

No. 35/68

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Dear Sir
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the matter of the ...
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
J. H. ...

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 24 1909
No.

Mount Rock Ala., 6/22 1909

Special Commissioner of The Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment

Sir Yours of 6/10 recd stating you
reported that my application no
135168 for a part in the fund
from the judgement \$28,906
should be rejected and on
June 10, 1909 The Court entered
another order. If I am placed
on the list that is excepted do
I have to make any other affidavits
to share in this fund.

As I do not understand that I
should be deprived of my
interest in the fund,

Write me at once instructive
me, and send me money I
want as you again
accepted to 2 share my
share - except
N. F. Graham, Mount Rock.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. NOV 3 1909 |
| No. |

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

OFFICE OF

Paint Rock Miss

Oct the 21. 09

Mr. Guion Miller

Special Commission of the Court of Claims

Washington DC & understand

that - Serial of Claims was filed on

the first of the month and would

be paid to you here at -

whether we are back out -

that - please see how far you

at - and remain as per your

H. C. Smithers

App/No. 35168.

November 3, 1909.

Mr. H. C. Smithers,
Paint Rock,
Alabama.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of recent date you are advised that the time for filing exceptions to my report does not expire until November 15, 1909, and it will probably be some time after that date before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HLG.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE
Rec. NOV 30 1909
No. 5168

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Ala. Nov. 27th 01 -

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge
your letter of the 21st inst.

In the letter to your letter
of the 21st inst. I have
been very much interested
after the 15th before the meeting
in any form can exist in
which an exception has been
made. Will be announced
it is now part of the law.
Will you kindly look at
the concern in my
claim as being to all the
other party here.

H. C. Smith

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 14 1909
No. 35168

~~SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY~~

OFFICE OF

Paint Rock Ala 12.83

Mr. Guinn Miller Washington D C -
 Agent of the Reasent - to Reclaim and Kelly -
 Appraisal and in Reply to same
 would be glad to see you and
 know if there has been any business done
 about the buying of those claims or
 let me hear from you at once!

Remain yours, H. C. Smith

H. C. Smith

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
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would like to see from

you if there is any time

let me hear from you soon

Remain Yours

I. J. Miller

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 21 1910
No. _____



No. 35169

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sandy A. Smithers* and 2 children.

Residence: *Paint Rock, Ala.*

Reasons:

Brother of #34839, and claims through the same ancestors.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

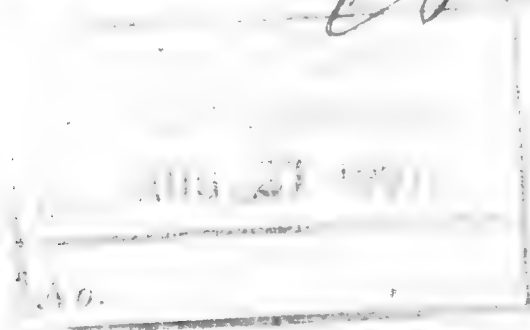
OF

Sandy A. Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

J. H. Vought
Att'y

Stinson
& Son



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

and ~~minor children~~

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sandy A. Smithers

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Point Rock

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 54 Born October 10th 1852

6. Where were you born? New Hope, Alabama

7. Are you married? A widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Dead

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>E. E. Smithers</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>March 25th 1886</u> |
| (2) | <u>E. W. Smithers</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>Oct 30th 1888</u> |
| (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (4) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (5) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (6) | ..... | ..... | ..... |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

George & Prindie Smithers Prindie Jacobs

Father—English name: George Smithers

Indian name: Do not know

Mother—English name: Prindie Jacobs

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Prindie Jacobs

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: New Hope, Alabama

Mother: New Hope, Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: In the fall of 1851

Mother: In the fall of 1865

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Carley Roover</u> | <u>Sept 29 1832</u> | |
| (2) | <u>W. J. Smithers</u> | <u>1842</u> | <u>1863</u> |
| (3) | <u>W. E. Smithers</u> | <u>1840</u> | <u>1869</u> |
| (4) | <u>G. W. Smithers</u> | <u>Aug 26 1844</u> | |
| (5) | <u>J. A. Smithers</u> | <u>April 22 1846</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Mary Chinchlow</u> | <u>1848</u> | <u>1882</u> |
| (7) | <u>H. C. Smithers</u> | <u>Aug 12 1850</u> | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Robt. Roover</u> | <u>Isaac Jacobs</u> |
| | <u>Dicie Roover</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? Both in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both, Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|------------|
| (1) | <u>Carley</u> | <u>not</u> |
| (2) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mathias (Addendaw)
Great-Grand-Parents
Abram and George Smithers.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mathias

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

S. H. Smithers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of July 1907.

W. H. Gormanberg
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. B. Peters

and

W. W. Gibson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Samuel A. Smithers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and

50 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters

W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

March 16 1909 W. H. Gormanberg
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35170

Action. *Rejected*

Name *Nancy Smithers and 2 children,* Residence. *Paint Rock, Ala.*

Reasons: *Claimant nor ancestors do not appear on any Cherokee. Fails to establish any connection with or recognition by Eastern Cherokee parties to treaties of 1835-36 and 1846.*

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y

Stinson
Att'y

AUG 21 1907

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nancy Smithers

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Prichard Rock

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 56 Born January 5th 1852

6. Where were you born? In Cherokee country, Ala

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: G. W. Smithers Aged 62

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Samoa Smithers</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>Dec 15/73</u> |
| (2) | <u>Everett Smithers</u> | <u>31</u> | <u>Aug 6/76</u> |
| (3) | <u>Archie Smithers</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>June 13/77</u> |
| (4) | <u>James Smithers</u> | <u>28</u> | <u>Aug 27/79</u> |
| (5) | <u>Marianne Smithers</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>Aug 16/81</u> |
| (6) | <u>Joseph Smithers</u> | <u>24</u> | <u>Nov 24/83</u> |
| (7) | <u>Alva Smithers</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>Aug 27/88</u> |
| (8) | <u>J. R. Smithers</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>July 17/90</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

George & Rachel Scott Rachel Upton

Father—English name: George Scott

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Rachel Upton

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Rachel Upton

12. Where were they born?

Father: Do not know

Mother: In Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Do not know

Mother: In Cherokee country, Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1862

Mother: November 1864

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>M. A. Gensford</u> | <u>Do not know</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Henry Gensford</u> | <u>Do not know</u> | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>Do not know</u> | <u>George W. Gensford</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? Do not know Do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Cannot give all names or residences
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Conanotigiretliu

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Murray Garrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1907.

W. M. Garrison
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Peters

and W. W. Gibson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Murray Garrison

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 38 years and

38 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909. W. M. Garrison
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian-agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. JUN 10 1909 |
| No. 35170 |

notice
6/10

Wartburg Tenn

6-8-1907

R. F. Jones
John Green Miller, Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

I sent you a copy of the letter I wrote and which
went to you in Aug 1907 in connection of the Blue
Ridge. My address then was Green
Morgan Co Tenn. I had Mr. G. E. T. Miller of
Blue Ridge Ga. to attend the matter for me
and he has his letter stating that my claims
were made out and had been filed in Aug 1907
I have written Mr. Miller three times already and
cannot get any word from him. I want
to know about my claims and the
the money I have at the time
I have been waiting my money. I
want to know on my matter and
I hope to hear from you soon.

[illegible]

No. 35171

Action:

Reject

Name

Myra Williamson

and

children.

Residence:

Paint Rock, Ala.

Reasons:

- 1:- No ancestors ever enrolled.
- 2:- " " party to treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
- 3:- Shows no connection with Eastern Cherokee.

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No. 35171

Name Myra Williamson

With No.

Remarks:

Not on Rolls

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Myra Williamson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 12, 1905 and May 28, 1906.

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J. H. Vandyke
Stinson

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Myra Williamson

Indian name: Do not know

2. Residence and post office: Paint Rock

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 65 Born Nov 25 1842

6. Where were you born? Madison County Ala

7. Are you married? A widow

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: James Williamson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------|------|------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mollie Boyd</u> | | <u>Mar 24/62</u> |
| (2) | <u>John Williamson</u> | | <u>Oct 25/68</u> |
| (3) | <u>Bill Williamson</u> | | <u>Sept 6/70</u> |
| (4) | <u>Earl Williamson</u> | | <u>Oct 28/77</u> |
| (5) | <u>Garnie Williamson</u> | | <u>Aug 25/84</u> |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Sam Ransd trees, Peggy Hill, Peggy Hill

Father—English name: Sam Ransd trees

Indian name: No one

Mother—English name: Peggy Hill

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Peggy Hill

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Not known

Mother: Not known

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Eliza Duffet | Not known | |
| (2) | Silas Morrow | Not known | |
| (3) | Arbiter Hill | Not known | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Adam Hill | Vinnie Hill |
| Violet Hill | Marger Hill |

18. Where were they born? All in Mississippi

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------|-----------|
| (1) | I cannot | Not known |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I cannot

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nothing

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Marya Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

W. M. Goodale
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Peters

and W. W. Gibson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Marya Williamson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Peters
W. W. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

March 16th, 1909. W. M. Goodale
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35172

Action

Reject.

Name

Margaret A. Timber 5. children.

Residence:

Pisgah, W. Va.

Reasons:

Sister of #26608.

35172

No. 35172

Name Margaret L. Smith

With No. 26608

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

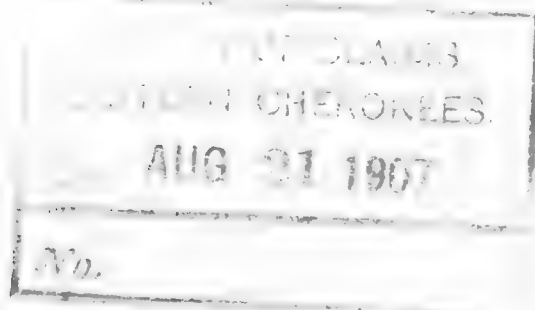
APPLICATION

OF

Margaret Ann Tucker

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims, of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Waring Jr.
Stinson & Son,



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—*Margaret Anne Tinker*
English name: _____
Indian name: *Scattie Pisgah*
2. Residence and post office: _____
3. County: *Jackson*
4. State: *Alabama*
5. How old are you? *53* Born *Jan. 30 = 1853*
6. Where were you born? *McCabe Co Ala*
7. Are you married? *yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *A B Tinker Born 1848*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|---------|----------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| #35176- | (1) <i>A B Tinker</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>Feb 1 = 1871</i> |
| #35174- | (2) <i>Francis Wallson</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>Nov 26 = 1873</i> |
| #35177- | (3) <i>A P Tinker</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>Apr 16 = 1876</i> |
| #35175- | (4) <i>Jane Wallson</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>Oct 26 = 1878</i> |
| #35173- | (5) <i>W A Tinker</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>May 17 = 1881</i> |
| | (6) _____ | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: *Do not know*

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: *Lettie Luster*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Madison Co Ala*

Mother: *Madison Co Ala*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Jackson Co Ala

Mother:

Jackson Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

James Millican July 7-1901 died

Mother:

Lettie Millican died 1866. don't know exact

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Charles Millican | Apr 13-1852 | don't know date |
| (2) | Lettie J. Millican | Apr 21-1851 | .. |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Millican

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lettie Jane Millican

18. Where were they born?

Jackson Co - Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John Millican
- (2) Andy Millican
- (3) Lizzie Millican
- (4) Lizzie J. Millican
- (5) Charles W. Millican
- (6) Rebecca Millican

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know any
any grand parents back to 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have always been taught by my
four parents on the Scott Side we had
Indian blood.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Margaret Ann Tucker ^{her} _{mark}

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M. H. Ambrester
and O. B. Tinker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Margaret Ann Tucker
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and
40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. H. Ambrester
O. B. Tinker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908. J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

C. J. ...
EASTERN CHRONICLE
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Oct 10/14/08

Quinn Miller special com.

My Dear Sir
I would like to know whether
my claim was received or
rejected so please let me
know at once the No of my
claim is No 35-172.

Yours Respect

Margaret A. Timmer.
Pisgah-
ala.

No. 35173

Action: Reject

Name William L. Tinker and X children.

Residence:

Priggen, Va.

Reasons:

Deft. - #26608,

35173

No.

N₀. 76-35177

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

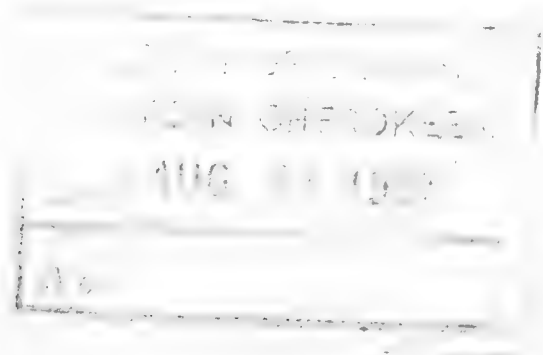
OF

William A. Tucker

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. W. Wright

Stumpson, Ala.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: _____

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: _____

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? _____

Born _____

6. Where were you born? _____

7. Are you married? _____

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | AR Tucker Prigok Ala | Feb 1 = 1871 | |
| (2) | Francis Willson Prigok Ala | Nov. 26 = 1873 | |
| (3) | Henry P Tucker Prigok Ala | Apr 16 = 1876 | |
| (4) | Nancy Willson Prigok Ala | Oct 26 = 1878 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|-----------------|
| James Mulligan | Luther Mulligan |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| (1) | Luther Mulligan | |
| (2) | Charles W. Mulligan | |
| (3) | Margaret A. Mulligan | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. do not know
any thing about them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My fore parents & Andrew have
told me that we have Cherokee
Indian blood in us

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William A. Tinker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Ambrose
and O. B. Tinker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with William A. Tinker
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
him self to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Ambrose
O. B. Tinker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908. J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 351741

Action: *Repet.*

Name: *Francis William* and 3 children.

Residence: *Bridge St.*

Reasons: *Nice of #26608.*

35174

No. 15171

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

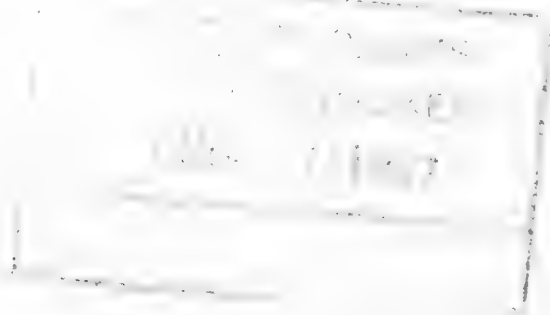
OF

Francis Willson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vane H. H.
Atty.

Stimson



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: _____

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: _____

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? _____

Born _____

6. Where were you born? _____

7. Are you married? _____

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|--------------------|
| (1) | Amco Willson | 8 | Jan. Feb. 8 = 1899 |
| (2) | Hand Willson | 6 | Feb. 18 = 1901 |
| (3) | Ethie Willson | 3 | Feb. 27 = 1904 |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | W. R. Tucker Pisgah Ala | Feb 1 = 1871 | |
| (2) | H. P. Tucker Pisgah | Apr 16 = 1876 | |
| (3) | Nancy Tucker Pisgah Ala | Oct 26 = 1878 | |
| (4) | W. A. Tucker Pisgah Ala | Aug 17 = 1881 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------|------------------|
| James M. Millican | Luther. Millican |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------|--|
| (1) | Luther J. Millican | |
| (2) | Charles W. Millican | |
| (3) | Margaret Millican | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: no / no

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have always been told by my parents on Mother Side there was Indian - before Cherokees

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Francis Wilcox

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

J. F. Grimsby
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. C. [unclear]

and W. A. Luke who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Francis Wilcox

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. C. [unclear]

W. A. Luke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908

J. F. Grimsby
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35175

Action: Repect.

Name Nancy Willson and 1 children.

Residence: Pisgah, Ala.

Reasons: Price of \$26608.

35175

No. 25198

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy Willson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vanght
Att'y
Stevens
Chas

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 21 1907

At

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me, of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: _____

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: _____

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? _____

Born _____

6. Where were you born? _____

7. Are you married? _____

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he or~~ she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------|------|------------|
| (1) | Lena Willson | 6 | Oct 9 1901 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| (1) | A R Tucker Pisgah Ala | Feb 1 = 1871 | |
| (2) | Francis Waller Pisgah Ala | Nov. 26 = 1873 | |
| (3) | Miner P Tucker Pisgah Ala | Apr 16 = 1876 | |
| (4) | W A Tucker Pisgah Ala | Aug = 17 = 1881 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Mulligan Little Mulligan

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------|--|
| (1) | Little J. Mulligan | |
| (2) | Charles W Mulligan | |
| (3) | Margaret Tucker | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Have always been taught by fore
parents that we were Cherokee Indian
blood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nancy Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Ambler

and

W. A. Timber

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Nancy Wilson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Ambler

W. A. Timber

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct

1908.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35 176

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Abraham R. Miller, 2.* children.

Residence: *Piquette, Pa.*

Reasons: *Nephew of #26608.*

35176

No. 33176

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

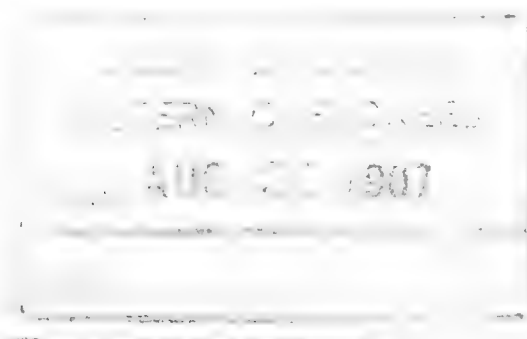
APPLICATION

OF

Abraham R. Tucker

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Stinson



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

+ 2 minor children

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me, of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

Abraham R Tucker

English name: _____

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: _____

Pisgah

3. County: _____

Jackson

4. State: _____

Ala.

5. How old are you? _____

36

Born

Feb 1st 1871

6. Where were you born? _____

Jackson Co. Ala

7. Are you married? _____

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

Mattie M. Tucker

Born 1875-

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|----------|------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mattie C Tucker</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>March 18 = 1901</i> |
| (2) | <i>Bob Tucker</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>July 31 = 1905-</i> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

A. B. Tucker, Margut-Am Millican

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

Margut-Am Millican

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Francis Willson | Feb 1 = 1871 | |
| | Osage ala | | |
| (2) | Nancy Willson | Oct 26 1878 | |
| | Osage ala | | |
| (3) | W A Tinker | Aug 17 = 1881 | |
| | Osage ala | | |
| (4) | Henry P. Tinker | Apr 16 = 1876 | |
| | Osage | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| James Millican | Lutie Millican |

18. Where were they born? Madison Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | Lutie Millican | |
| (2) | Mary Ann Millican | |
| (3) | Chas. W Millican | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Do Not Know

I have been taught that there was Indian blood in our family

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

C. R. Linker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Ambrose

and

W. A. Linker

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Abraham R. Linker

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Ambrose

W. A. Linker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908. J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35177

Action: *Refect.*

Name: *Harice P. Tinker* and 3. children.

Residence: *Piquette*

Reasons: *Nephew of - #26608.*

35177

No. 5517

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

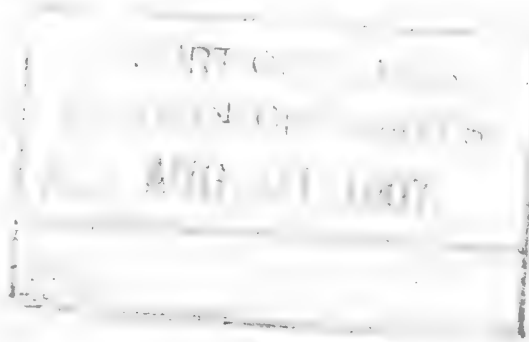
OF

Amos P. Thompson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke

Stinson & Son



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

+ 3 minor children

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name Nancy O. Tucker
English name: _____
Indian name: Shunt / Snow
2. Residence and post office: Pisgah
3. County: Jackson
4. State: Ala
5. How old are you? 31 Born Apr 16 = 1876
6. Where were you born? Jackson Co Ala
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ram 1880
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Edie Tucker</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>June 28 / 1900</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mortha Tucker</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>Apr 30 = 1904</u> |
| (3) | <u>Margaret Tucker</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>Jan 21 = 1906</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

A B Tucker, Margaret Ann Mellican

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: Margaret Ann Mellican

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Margaret Ann Mellican

12. Where were they born?

Father: A B Tucker Decatur Co Ala

Mother: Margaret Ann Tucker Decatur Co Ala

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | W. R. Tucker Pisgah Ala | Feb 1 = 1871 | |
| (2) | Francis Willson Pisgah Ala | Nov 26 = 1873 | |
| (3) | Nancy Willson Pisgah Ala | Oct 26 = 1878 | |
| (4) | W. A. Tucker Pisgah Ala | Aug 17 = 1881 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Madison Co Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Van Rensselaer

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------------|--|
| (1) | Little J. Milligan | |
| (2) | Margaret Ann. Milligan | |
| (3) | Charles W. Milligan | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been taught by parents Indian lore on mother side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Vince P. Tinker his
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Ambler

and W. A. Tinker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Vince P. Tinker

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Ambler
W. A. Tinker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908. J. F. Armstrong
Notary Public.

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May 1st 1898
1898-17-108

Mr. Guion Miller

My dear Mr. Jones
and on to my dead
children I have one but I died
but his name in my claim his name
is John T. Jones he was born at Ab. 1821
and died from the 18/1850

F. J. Smith was born January 30th 1865 at New York City.

one of my children is a child

[illegible]

So main for the
the S. J. for -

No. 35177.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 11, 1908.

Hence P. Tinker,
Pisgah, Ala.

Sir:-

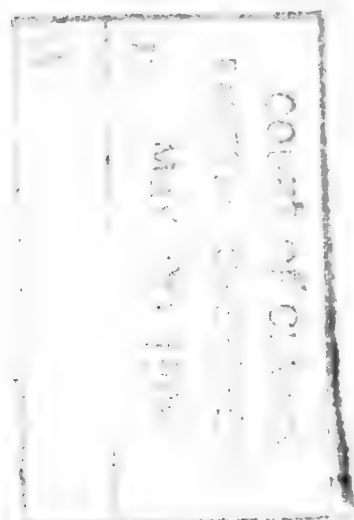
Kindly furnish this office with the date of the
birth of Margret Tinker, giving day, month and year. If any
of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner.

AIL



No. 35178

Action:

Reject

Name

Perinton J. Hackworth and 3 children.

Residence:

Warraneta, Okla.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as
27034,

35178

No. 35178-9

Name *Wm. J. Harkness*

With No. 27034

Remarks:

Wm. Harkness

No. 35178

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

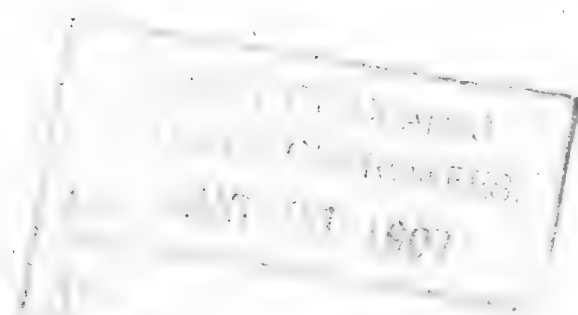
OF

Newton J. Mackworth

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. H. Wright
Atty
General
Ala



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

2 3 minor children

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------------|
| (1) | Lila Hackworth | 13 | Nov 12-1893 |
| (2) | Ollie Hackworth | 11 | Mar 19 1896 |
| (3) | Pat Hackworth | 6 | Oct 4 1900 |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Alabama

Mother: in Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 31st 1907

Mother: May 8th 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|----------------------------|--------|
| (1) | Randolph A. Hackworth Stevenson Ala | mar 13 th 1847 | Living |
| (2) | Elizabeth H. Galtson Stevenson Ala | oct 25 th 1850 | Dead |
| (3) | Joseph E. Hackworth Stevenson Ala | may 23 rd 1853 | Living |
| (4) | Wilson J. Hackworth Stevenson Ala | oct 29 th 1856 | " |
| (5) | William Hackworth Mapamucke Ind. I. | Feb 18 th 1859 | " |
| (6) | George H. Hackworth Chattanooga Tenn | April 9 th 1867 | " |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Hackworth | Gance |
| Rigney | Sally |
| Hupiran | |
| Kialth | |

18. Where were they born? in Tennessee & Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Alabama
Tennessee & Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|------------------|
| (1) | Jasper Hackworth | bedarspring Tenn |
| (2) | Levi Hackworth | Delphi Tenn |
| (3) | Mary Gance | Bass Ala |
| (4) | Elizabeth Moore | bedarspring Tenn |
| (5) | William Hackworth | bedarspring Tenn |
| (6) | Randolph Gance | Anderson Tenn |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Hackworth
Rigney Huffman Keath
Gance Gally

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

on my father's side was a Decendant
of Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Newton J. Hackworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

A. A. Faulk
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 27, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Skuen
and John C. Attorney, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Newton J. Hackworth
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and
4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. J. Stamps
J. H. Skuen

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Skuen
John C. Attorney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 27-1910, 1910

A. A. Faulk
Notary Public.

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No. 35179

Action: *Reject*

Name: *William Hackworth* and *2* children.

Residence: *Wapamucka Okla.*

Reasons: *Dependent of # 270341*

35179

No. 35179
Repetition of 2203
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

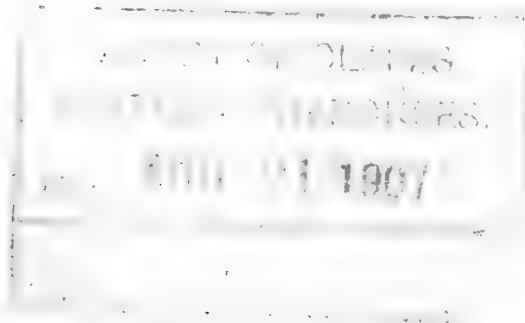
APPLICATION

OF

William Hackworth

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624
J. H. Vaught
Atty
Stevenson
Ala



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

& 2 minor children

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Mackworth

Indian name: Huffman & Keath

2. Residence and post office: Mapamoka

3. County: Atoka

4. State: Ind. T.

5. How old are you? 48 Born Feb 18th 1859

6. Where were you born? in Alabama

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Pallie Mackworth 48 - Aug 17 - 1858

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Don't know

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | Drewy Mackworth | 23 | Jan 29 - 1884 |
| (2) | C. M. Mackworth | 20 | Oct 7 - 1886 |
| (3) | Magie Mackworth | 12 | July 11 1893 |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Johnson, Mackworth

Indian name: Huffman & Keath

Mother—English name: Sarah Mackworth

Indian name: Don't know

Maiden name: Sarah Gance

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Tennessee

Mother: in Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Alabama

Mother: in Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 31st 1907

Mother: May 8th 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| (1) | Randolph A. Hackworth | March 13 th 1847 | Living |
| | Stevenson Ala | | |
| (2) | Joseph E. Hackworth | May 23 rd 1853 | " |
| | Stevenson Ala | | |
| (3) | Elizabeth A. Goldstein | Oct 26 th 1850 | Dead |
| (4) | Wilson J. Hackworth | Oct 29 th 1856 | Living |
| | Stevenson Ala | | |
| (5) | George M. Hackworth | April 9 th 1867 | " |
| | Chattanooga Tenn | | |
| (6) | Kenton J. Hackworth | Jan 14 th 1862 | " |
| | Wapanucka, Ind | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Hackworth
Rigney
Stupman
Keath

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Gance
Tally

18. Where were they born? in Tennessee & Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Alabama
Tennessee & Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Jasper Hackworth | Cedar Spring Tenn |
| (2) | Levi Hackworth | Delphi Tenn |
| (3) | Mary Gance | Base Ala |
| (4) | Elizabeth Moore | Cedar Spring Tenn |
| (5) | William Hackworth | Cedar Spring Tenn |
| (6) | Randolph Gance | Anderson Tenn |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Blackworth
Rigney Winfman Keath
Gance & Gally

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

on my fathers side was a Decendant
of Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Wm Blackworth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

A A Finck
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb'y 27-1910, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J W Steen
and A A Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with William Blackworth
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and
4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J W Steen
A A Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb'y 27-1910, 190

A A Finck
Notary Public.

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No. 35180

Action: Reject

Name Lottie Lewis and 4 children. Residence: Pullahoma, Penn.

Reasons:

Niece of #24474, and claims through the same
ancestors.

35180

No. 35180

Name J. W. C. C.

With No. 24414

Remarks:

Niece

No. 35140

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

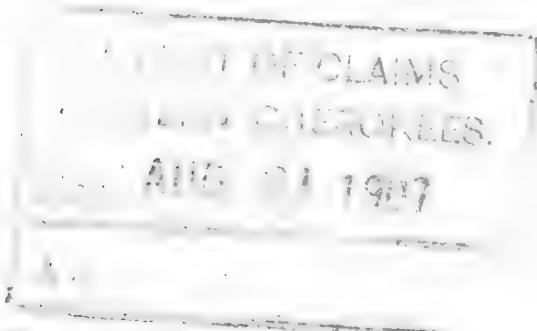
OF

Lottie Lewis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vanghts

Stimmons Ala



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

2 1/2 minor children

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—*Lettie Lewis*
English name: *Smiths*
Indian name: *Jyallahoma*
2. Residence and post office: *Coffey*
3. County: *Linn*
4. State: _____
5. How old are you? *36 years* Born in *1871*
6. Where were you born? *Stinsons Ala*
7. Are you married? *I am a widow*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Husband is dead*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Not known*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Leta Lewis</i> | <i>14 years</i> | <i>April 10-1883</i> |
| (2) | <i>Charles Lewis</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>April 1-1884</i> |
| (3) | <i>Mayie Lewis</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>June 26-1900</i> |
| (4) | <i>Edna Lewis</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>Jan 10-1901</i> |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: *My father not married*
Indian name: *Not known*
Mother—English name: *Lacy Smith*
Indian name: *Smiths*
Maiden name: *Smiths*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Not known*
Mother: *Stinsons Ala*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- | | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|----------------|-----------------|-------|
| (1) | Letty Rutledge | born in | alias |
| (2) | Julia Ann Lamm | born | |
| (3) | Will Gayner | His claim is in | |
| (4) | St. Louis Mo. | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-------------------|-----------------------|
| John Legal father | Little Smith |
| | and great grand |
| | mother was Lucy Smith |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- | | | |
|-----|------------------|------------------|
| (1) | John A. Smith | Stimmons Ala |
| (2) | Margaret Storker | dead |
| (3) | Lucy Smith, Jr. | my mother (dead) |
| (4) | Martha Lamm | dead |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lewis, Saml. Th.

my mother, Smith my great mother
and Smith my great grand
mother,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my great grand mother was
Luce Smith, Sr. she was
left here by the Cherokee
Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lottie Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of July, 1907.

John H. Vauget
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

G. W. Hammond
W. D. Daniel, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
Lottie Lewis
that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 13 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Hammond
W. D. Daniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of July, 1907

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1908 John H. Vauget
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35181

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Lexia Richie,* and *1* children, Residence: *Scottsboro, Ala.*

Reasons:

*First cousin of # 29573, and claims
through the same ancestors.*

35181

No. 381

Name *Smith*

With No. 2973

Remarks:

No. 35141

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lexie V Richie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 21 1907

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

+ 1 minor child

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Leixie V Richie

Indian name:

Kout / mon

2. Residence and post office:

Seaboard

3. County:

Jackson

4. State:

Alabama

5. How old are you?

Born

Feb 6, 1882

6. Where were you born?

Jackson County Alabama

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

J L Richie

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Fletcher Richie</i> | <i>2 years</i> | <i>12 May 1904</i> |
| (2) | <i>Douglas Richie</i> | | <i>28 Jan 1907</i> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

H C Chieffey

Indian name:

Kout / mon

Mother—English name:

Mable J Chieffey

Indian name:

Kout / mon

Maiden name:

Mable J Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Jackson Co Alabama

Mother:

Sevier County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died Jan'y 1902

Mother: not died

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Garth Chelms</u> <u>Sealeston</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Rae Chelms</u> <u>Sealeston</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Hubert Chelms</u> <u>Sealeston Ala</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>Evelyn Chelms</u> <u>Sealeston Ala</u> | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John K Chelms

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Uriah Hiers Jr

18. Where were they born? not born

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

John K Chelms
died in prison - Uriah Hiers senior Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Hiers</u> | <u>Indian Territory Sealeston Ala</u> |
| (2) | <u>Campbell Hiers</u> | <u>Arkansas</u> |
| (3) | <u>John Hiers</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Rae Hiers</u> | <u>Indian Territory</u> |
| (5) | <u>David Hiers</u> | <u>Texas</u> |
| (6) | <u>Malin Chelms</u> | <u>Sealeston Ala</u> |
| | <u>Mary Hughes</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Walter Hiers</u> | <u>Texas</u> |
| | <u>John Hiers</u> | <u>Sealeston Ala</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand father was
Wauh Nicks + Grand father Wauh Nicks
and mother was Melin Nicks

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Claims Indian blood through Grand father
Wauh Nicks - Wauh Nicks was
born in 1814.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lexie V. Richie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of August 1907.

J. H. Gregory
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 18, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Carter
and W. M. Waller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lexie V. Richie
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Carter
W. M. Waller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April 18, 1908.

J. H. Gregory
Notary Public.

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No. 351821

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mella Brown* and *X* children. Residence: *Madwell, Ala*

Reasons: *By Jas. C. Chavers*

Claims thru Andy Chavers.

See - #24484. Grandchild of #24484

35182

No. 35782

Name Geo. S. Charnock

With No. 244284

Remarks:



No. 5182

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James C. Chavers

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y
Stinson
Ala.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR: *our minor child that I am raising*

I hereby make application for such share as may be due ~~me~~ of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

*that answers the questions just as though
I was the mother ourselves
except as to my name and
address*

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <i>Willie Brown</i> | <i>17 years</i> | <i>Sept 21-1890</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: at home
Mother: at home

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: at home 1801
Mother: at home 1802

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

children

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|----------|
| (1) | <u>James Brown</u> | <u>in 1885</u> | <u>—</u> |
| | <u>Anderson Dunn</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Loney Brown</u> | <u>in 1888</u> | |
| | <u>Anderson Dunn</u> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>John Brown</u> | <u>Wm. L. Butler</u> |
| <u>Chas. Gordon</u> | <u>Lucy Lechner</u> |
| <u>Loney Brown</u> | <u>Geo. Lechner</u> |
| <u>Chas. Gordon</u> | <u>Martha Lechner</u> |
| <u>Chas. Gordon</u> | <u>John Lechner</u> |
| <u>Chas. Gordon</u> | <u>John Lechner</u> |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Lechner</u> | <u>in 1885</u> |
| (2) | <u>Chas. Lechner</u> | <u>Anderson Dunn</u> |
| (3) | <u>Chas. Lechner</u> | <u>(Died)</u> |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Burton Lehouers
and great grand father was
Phillip Lehouers,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
my blood comes through
my mother,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James G. Lehouers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

John H. Vandyke
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. C. Arnold

and W. H. C. Arnold, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James G. Lehouers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signature of Witnesses.

W. H. C. Arnold

W. H. C. Arnold

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1909. John H. Vandyke
Notary Public.

Note.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

#35182 - 24484

October 14, 1908.

James C. Chavers,
Maxwell, Ala.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the
Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly inform this office what relation,
if any, you are to Andrew Chavers, Sr. of Anderson, Tenn.

Please reply promptly and refer to #35182 with 24484.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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35182

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

#35182 - 24484

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Very respectfully,

John Miller

Special Commissioner.

Maxwell Ala Oct 19

LJC

*ma. Tenn. Miller
Washington
Dear Sir Andrew Chavers Sr
of Anderson Tenn is my
father Resd Jas. C. Chavers*

No. 35183

Action: *Repet*

Name: *J. M. Jones* and *4* children. Residence: *Stevenson, Ala.*

Reasons:

*Brother to Ezekiel Jones (33856) and claims
'h. p. & a line'*

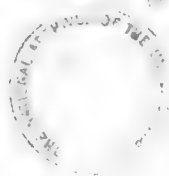
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No 35/73

Name *Kim*

With No. 33856

Remarks:



18187
No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

J. H. Vandyke
Att'y.
Stinson
Att'y.

3515

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

5 minor children

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

- | | | | |
|-----|------------------|----------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Barnett J. Jones | 28 years | July 28-1878 |
| (2) | Sam C. Jones | 25 | May 11-1882 |
| (3) | Ben H. Jones | 18 | Dec. 2-1888 |
| (4) | William D. Jones | 13 | Apr 29-1894 |
| (5) | Graden C. Jones | 1 | June 2 ^d 1896 |
| (6) | William C. Jones | 8 | May 13-1898 |
| (7) | Seth L. Jones | 4 | Oct 24-1903 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|---------------|----------|
| (1) | Leah Jones Stimmons, Ala | In 1852 | deceased |
| (2) | Elizabeth Jones Stimmons | Feb 25 - 1854 | alive |
| (3) | Mary A. Hayes In Texas | In 1859 | " |
| (4) | Susan Lupton In Texas | In 1861 | " |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Cyrus Jones
Indian Jones
first wife died before 1851
she was my mother. She was a Henry
no Indian name

Leah Adell
don't know as to Indian
Susan Adell

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|------------------------|
| (1) | Thomas Jones | St. Louis, Mo. |
| (2) | Mary A. Green | Stambridge Plains Tenn |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: at 0

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jones, Jones,
Henry & Adell.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Indian blood comes from me
through my father Jones, and
also through his father Jones

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

John H. Canby
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

S. B. Jenkins

and

C. E. Jenkins

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Jones

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. B. Jenkins
C. E. Jenkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 1909. John H. Canby
Notary Public.

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No. 35184

Action: *Reject*

Name *Geo. T. Waller* and *4* children. Residence: *Des Arc, Ark.*

Reasons:

Son of #28559.

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No 35184

Name

Geo. C. Davis

With No.

33835

Remarks:

No. ~~37111~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

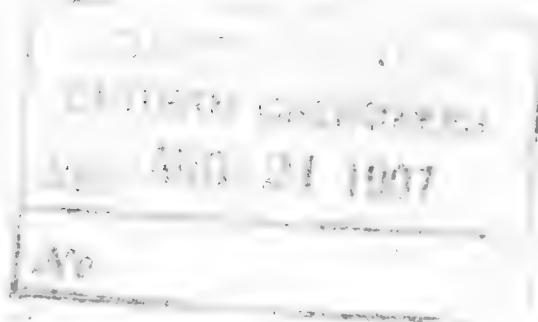
OF

George A. H. H. H.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. H. Waught
Atty
Stevens
aka



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Charles Walker | 12 | 1894 |
| (2) | Walter Walker | 9 | 1897 |
| (3) | William Walker | 7 | 1899 |
| (4) | John Walker | 5 | 1901 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Alabama

Mother: in Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 12th 1905

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Dont Know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| (1) | Mary Bayde Wannille Ala | July 14th 1852 | living |
| (2) | John Waller Zachlers Ala | Feb 27th 1854 | " |
| (3) | Sarah J. Burr Sealtsboro Ala | April 13th 1855 | " |
| (4) | William Waller Sealtsboro Ala | Dec 31st 1857 | " |
| (5) | Charly Waller Aurora Texas | Feb 13th 1866 | " |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
John Waller
Hall

MOTHER'S SIDE.
Parker
Gibson

18. Where were they born? in Tennessee Alabama & Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------|--|
| (1) | <u>all dead</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Waller Hall
Parker & Gibson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

BT id claimed on my Grand fathers
side to be Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

George A Waller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug, 1907.

W B Erwin

Notary Public.

My commission expires

7/9

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G W Kincauff & B Erwin

and

George A Waller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

G W Kincauff
B A Erwin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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W B Erwin

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 9 1909
No. 3 5184

Kept for.

28559

JOHN BOOTH,

DEALER IN

SHOES,

Notions, Glassware, Queensware and Tinware

Des Arc, Ark., March 6th 1909

Dear Sir,

My brother informs me that he (J. W. Waller) has got his card and I have not got mine and I wish to know if it has been sent; if it has, it must have miscarried in the mails and I would be glad for you to send me an other.

Respectfully Yours
Geo Waller.

Enclosed

No. 35185.

Action: Reject.

Name Columbus C. Moody and 4 children. Residence: Dellwood, N. C.

Reasons:

Betty Walker case

35185

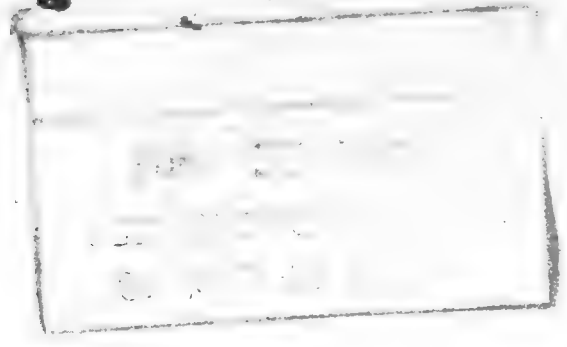
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Name

With No.

Remarks:

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Myers & Myers
Attys*



For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.
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Johnnie C. Moore

APPLICATION
OF

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

No. _____

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Re: ...
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

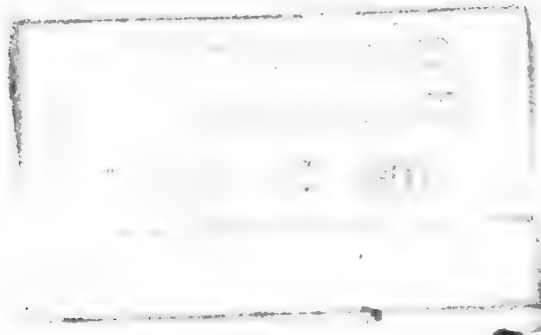
APPLICATION

OF

Columbus C. Moody

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*Filed by
Viguer & Simpson
Attys*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Livora Bell Moody | | Nov 1 1877 |
| (2) | Viola Elder | | Jan 30 1879 |
| (3) | Horace Brown | | Nov 14 1882 |
| (4) | Austin Lee | | Sept 22 1884 |
| (5) | Lilly Haines | | May 31 1890 |
| (6) | Willie Haines | | " 7 1893 |
| | Billy Haines | | Dec 3 1895 |
| | Louise Ethel | | Sept 8 1898 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Crumley Creek Saywood Co NC

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Dead Aug 1859

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|----------|----------|
| (1) | <u>Marcus E Wood</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| | <u>Maude Ann</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (2) | <u>Robert</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>James</u> | <u>"</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| (4) | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| (5) | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| (6) | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Wood
Polley Leathers

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Polley Leathers
-

18. Where were they born? Robert Wood in SC
Polley Leathers in NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Crumley Creek Saywood Co NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|----------|
| (1) | <u>Lucian L Wood</u> | <u>-</u> |
| (2) | <u>Robert L</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>Leah L</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Maude Ann</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>James L</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>John H</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Harvey L</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Julia</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Niles A</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 Edward Lenterwood was father of John Lenterwood who was father of Polly Woody who is mother of James L Woody who is my father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
The wife of Edward Lenterwood was Elizabeth Walker whose mother was Betty Walker who was a full blood Cherokee Indian and on roll of 1831-

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Columbus C. Moody

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Dec, 1907.

R. A. L. Hyatt Notary Public

My commission expires

Dec 3, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me David Boyd
and C. M. Carpenter, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Columbus C. Moody who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 16 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. L. Boyd

C. M. Carpenter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 3, 1910.

R. A. L. Hyatt Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35186.

Action: Reject

Name Myda Emeline Word and 5 children. Residence: Victory, Ga.

Reasons:

1. Applicant & ancestors pass as white people.
2. No ancestor was ever enrolled.
3. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
4. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

35186

Field No.

No. 35186

Name Nyda E. Ward

With No.

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nyla Emeline Word.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*Filed
by*

LYON & LYON.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Nyda Emeline Ford

Indian name:

John Cupp

2. Residence and post office:

Victory

3. County:

Carroll

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

39

Born

January 8, 1878

6. Where were you born?

Carroll County Georgia

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Chas. M. Ford

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Alva M. Ford | 22 | 1885 |
| (2) | Emma Beale Ford | 17 | 1889 |
| (3) | Mattie Katherine Ford | 14 | 1892 |
| (4) | Elizabeth E. Ford | 9 | 1897 |
| (5) | James B. Ford | 7 | 1900 |
| (6) | Raymond F. Ford | 5 | 1902 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William Folwell

Indian name:

"

Mother—English name:

Liza Harris Folwell

Indian name:

Liza Cupp

Maiden name:

Liza Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Douglas County Georgia

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: May 28 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Not as I know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>Elizabeth Thomas</u> <u>Doaz Ala.</u> | <u>1857</u> | <u>not dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Julia Hedridge</u> <u>Victory, Carroll County, Ga.</u> | <u>1864</u> | <u>not dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>John B. Golden</u> <u>Guthrie Springs, Ga.</u> | <u>1859</u> | <u>not dead</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Bupp

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Eliza Harris, Malinda Cupp - married,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) x Nyda Emeline Stord

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Aug 1907.

H. L. Rowe
C. Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 19, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. A. Lyle

and G. W. Chance, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nyda Emeline Stord

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 17 years and

3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

x W. A. Lyle
G. W. Chance

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 19, 1910. H. L. Rowe
C. Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35186.

May 10, 1900.

John L. Ward,
Chicago, Ill.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
enrolled in the Eastern Cherokee in 1891.

Were your grandparents ever enrolled with the
Eastern Cherokee?

Do they live with the Eastern Cherokee as recognized
members of their tribe? Were they at all of tribal
blood?

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they
owned by a white or a colored person?

Respectfully,

Special Agent in Charge.

Yours,

COMMITTEE OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE
JUN 1 1908

JOHN O. NEWELL.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
CARROLLTON, GA.

W. H. T. H. W. K.

Victory Ga.

May 28, 1908.

Mr. Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

601 Ouray Building,

Washington, D. C.

In Re:- # 35186 Eastern Cherokee Indian Claim.

Dear Sir:-

I am unable to say as to why my parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokee Indians in 1851. At that time the country was thinly settled. There were no railroads or communication near my parents' home, as they lived at that time in Heard County, Ga.

I understand they were recognized and were known as Indians.

Malinda Cupp

I understand my grandmother had quite a good deal of Indian blood in her veins.

My grandparents were never slaves, and are now and are recognized as white people.

Yours truly,

Nida E. Hardy.

No. 35187
Name: *Homer Butler* and *Jessie Butler* children. Residence: *Adairville, Ga.*
Action: *Reject*
Reasons:

*Brother and sister —
of #28583.*

35187

No. 35187-8

Name *Wm. Butler*

With No. 28583

Remarks:

J. L. Butler

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Heomer Butler
+ *Jessie Butler*
Adamsville Ga

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by
W. B. Allen
Atlanta
Ga

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: *Homer Butler, Jessie Butler*
Indian name: *Oasley "Oasley"*
2. Residence and post office: *Adairville*
3. County: *Barrow*
4. State: *Georgia*
5. How old are you? *25 - 30* Born *1882 - 1877*
6. Where were you born? *South Carolina South Carolina*
7. Are you married? *Yes Yes.*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Jena Butler, Henrietta Butler*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|----------------------|-------------|------|-------|
| <i>Homer Butler</i> | <i>none</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| <i>Jessie Butler</i> | <i>none</i> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead, Dont Know, About 23 years ago,

Mother: Dead Dont Know, About 16 years ago,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: None,

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Arthur Butler | 1872 | Living |
| | Joshua Butler | 1879 | " |
| (2) | Viola Butler Gray | 1870 | " |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | | MOTHER'S SIDE. | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------|--|
| Eng. Joe Joe, | Eng. Bill Brockman | | |
| Indian " Early, | Ind. none. | | |
| Eng. Susan Hamilton, | Eng. Carter Brockman | | |
| Ind. none. But had Cherokee | Ind. none | | |
| blood, | | | |

18. Where were they born? Dont Know,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Chick Spring, SC,
Dont Know,

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|--------|-------------------|-----------|--------|
| Father | (1) One Sister | Dont Know | Father |
| | (2) | | |
| Mother | (3) Jack Hamilton | Dont Know | Mother |
| | (4) | | |
| | (5) | | |
| | (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Joe Casley, Begot Joe Tock
Joe Tock Begot Umphry Butler
Umphry Butler Begot Homer & Jessie Butler

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joe Casley was full blood Indian
of Cherokee descent,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1st 1911, 190.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Homer for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person They represents

themselves to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in their claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 1st 1911, 190

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 25187

*Reapt
with*

Adams, J. H.

1887

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 23 1907
No. 25187

Wm. H. ...
...
(Routledge)

Wm. H. ...
NOV 23 1907

Admission 10¢
Lunch 25¢
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from the year 1901
to 1902 to 1903
and 1904 to 1905
and 1906 to 1907

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and some places
and some places

at some places
and some places
and some places

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That

we Homer Butler
and Jessie Butler

of Adairsville Bartow Co in the State of Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to prosecute my claim

against the Government of the U S for a share interest in the
land for the Eastern Cherokees or their blood relation under the act
of Congress and by the Decrees of the Court of Claims of June 30 1900
and May 30 1900

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

Nineteen Hundred Seven

12th day of Aug.
Homer Butler (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

W. P. Bailey
G. L. Trimmer

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

SS.

COUNTY OF

Bartow

Before me, a

Notary Public

in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Homer Butler & Jessie Butler

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and I acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 12th day of Aug. Nineteen Hundred and

A. W. Ballew
Notary Public

No. 35188
Name Joshua Butler and 1 children. Residence: Adairsville
Reasons: and Viola Green and 1 child, Ga.

Brother and sister
of #28582.

35188

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Joshua Butler
OF
Viola Green
Shawnee, Okla.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed by
A. H. Butler
Attorney
at Law

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-------------|-------------------|---------|-------|
| Joshua, — | (1) Umphry Butler | 7 years | 1900 |
| Viola Green | (2) Annie Green | 10 " | |
| | (3) William Green | 12 " | |
| | (4) Jessie Green | 7 " | |
| | (5) Tom Green | 5 " | |
| | (6) Ed Green | 1 1/2 " | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

South Carolina

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Dead About 23 Years

Mother:

16

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

and with what tribe of Indians:

None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Arthur Butler | 1872 | Living |
| | Norma Butler | 1882 | " |
| (2) | Jessie Butler | 1877 | " |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Eng. | Joe Jack. | Bill Brockman |
| Ind. | Casey | Ind. None |
| Eng. | Susan Hamilton | Eng. Cassie Brockman |
| Ind. | None But she had Cherokee Ind. blood | None. |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Chick Spring, Ga.
Don't Know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|--------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Father | (1) One Sister | Don't Know - Father |
| | (2) | |
| Mother | (3) Jack Hamilton | Don't Know & mother |
| | (4) | |
| | (5) | |
| | (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Joe Casley, Begat, Joe Tack
Joe Tack, Begat, Humphry Butler
Humphry Butler, Begat, Joshua & Viola Butler

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joe Casley was full blood Indian
of Cherokee Descent,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joshua Butler
Viola Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

A. W. Barber
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1 - 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. B. Bailey

and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Joshua Butler & Viola Green

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known them for 15 years and

10 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical persons They represents

Themselves to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in their claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

12th day of Aug, 1907.
J. F. Trimmer

My commission expires

July 1 - 1911, 19

A. W. Barber
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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Peop. Ind.

NOV 23 1907

Admission Ticket (Fall/20)

Admission 1904

Commissioner
Account of Expenses
Accounting to the
Board for the year
ended 1904

Expenses incurred
for the month
of August
1904
at the Hotel
and for the
Board for the
month of August

1904
Total
\$100.00
\$100.00

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 25188

Recd. for

NOV 23 1907

Admission fee

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Count

Washington
near the place
but not the same
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the capital
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Becker
colours
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the

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, _____

_____ of _____ in the State of _____
have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston
Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling
and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to prosecute my claim
for compensation upon the census and the pay roles of the Western Cherokee
and the collection of the fund in my favor under the Decrees of
the Court of Claims and the act of Congress of June 10 1906

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorney
full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premis-
es as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all
that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish
them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of Aug.
Nineteen Hundred Seven

Joshua B. Butler (SEAL)
Viola B. Butler
mark

Signed in presence of

W. P. Bailey
H. L. Trinkle

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

COUNTY OF

Before me, a

Georgia
Ballou
Natary Public

SS.

and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed
and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this

12th

day of

Aug.

Nineteen Hundred and

Seven

Joshua B. Butler
Viola B. Butler
mark
Alvin Barber N.P.

No. 35189

Action: Rejected

Name Mrs. Franklin & Andrew Watts and 2 children. Residence: Coltunah, Tenn.

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicants or their ancestors were ever enrolled. It does not appear that they were listed within the Cherokee Commission in 1835-6 or 1846 as recognized members of the tribe. It does appear that they were recognized as white people in the community in which they lived.

Misc. Test P. 384

35189

Field Term, ?
No. 35189

Name W. O. Waus et al

With No. ...

Remarks: 35190, 91, 92.

93, 37255.

No. 135425

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

H. O. Watts, et al

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Accepted by
W. H. Feltman
Attorney
at Law

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Barto Co, Ga.

Mother: Gordon Co, Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan. 14th 1905

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------|---------------------------|----------------|-------|
| #3511 | Mrs Ida Benson | Sept 27th 1873 | |
| | Cusbyville Ga | | |
| #35193- | (2) Mrs Pearl Blankenship | May 22nd 1877 | |
| | East Rome Ga | | |
| #35191- | (3) Mrs Mary Butler | Jan 7th 1870 | |
| | Shannon Ga | | |
| #35172- | (4) Mrs Anna Ruth | July 13th 1871 | |
| | Adairville Ga | | |
| | (5) W. D. Watte | Aug 22nd 1876 | |
| | Franklin White | Aug 7th 1880 | |
| | (6) Greuch Watte | Sept 18th 1885 | |
| | all of Coltwah Tenn. | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Smith do not claim on mother

18. Where were they born? S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? S.C. if living or

in Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) the old man was Henry John Melchior
- (2) the old woman was Maria William
- (3) & there Great Grandfather Henry
- (4) that was in the Cherokee removal
- (5) so we learn from others
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not that we know of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Henry Watts of S.C.

was Great Grand Father a Cherokee & in Removal of 1838, & in Camp at Newchwah Cherokee Co.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The older ancestors on Watts side was
from S.C. & was in the Removal in 1838, & many
of the family were now in the Creek & some are
informed by the older ones of the family

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

G. P. Wells, Clerk & Master
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. O. Watts, J. C. Heaton and
and J. C. Chesnut, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with W. O. Franklin & George Watts
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known W. O. for 10 years and
5 & 2 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person they represents
themselves to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

, 190

G. P. Wells, Clerk & Master
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35189.

May 19, 1908.

William O. Votta,
Caltowah, Tenn.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as
recognized members of their tribe?

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W/O/V

Miscel.

That I am 31 years of age and live about a mile from Colteveh, Tenn. I claim my Indian descent through my father and his father, William Watts. I don't know what my other grandparents were. My mother is living but my father is dead. My grandfather lived near Adairsville, Ga. but where he was born and raised, I couldn't say. Don't know whether he was living in 1835 or not. Don't know where my father was born, but he was raised near Adairsville, Bartow Co., Ga. I don't know that my father or grandfather ever lived with the Indians, nor do I know that they were on any roll. Don't know that they ever had any name other than Watts. I am recognized as a white man in this community, and so was my father and grandfather. Don't know where my grandfather was living in 1835 or 1851. I know very little about my father's people. My father when I was a small boy was trying to get proof of his Cherokee blood with reference to some claim out in Okla. but he didn't get anything. Don't know how much proof he made. This is the only application I ever made for any Indian benefits. My mother knows more about my ancestry than I do, but she is now living in Shamon, Ga. I believe it was my great grandfather who was the full blooded Indian. I don't know how much Indian blood I possess.

Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Ooltewah, Tenn. this
25th day of June, 1906.

Asst't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Applicant from appearance and features gives very little if any indication of Indian blood. He is to all appearances a white man.

3.5.11.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That Wm. William O. Franklin
and Frederick Watts
of Ooltewah in the State of Tenn.

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to prosecute

my claims for an interest in the fund
for Eastern Cherokee or their blood relation
under the Decree of the Court of Claims and the
Act of Congress of June 30, 1906

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as may be required and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of August
Nineteen Hundred and seven

Signed in presence of

J. C. Heaton
S. B. Lovell
Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF Tennessee

COUNTY OF Garrett

Before me, a

Clerk & Master in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared
W. O. Watts, Franklin Watts, & Frederick Watts
personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 12 day of August Nineteen Hundred and seven

E. P. Wells

Clerk & Master

No. 35190

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mrs. Ida Thurson* and *4* children. Residence: *Curryville, Ga.*

Reasons:

Sister of #5189

35190

No.

Name.

With No.

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

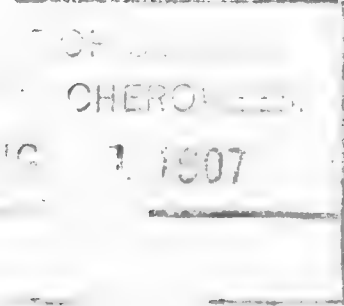
APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Ida Henson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*A. H. Baller, Atty
Atlanta Ga.*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|---------|--------------|
| (1) | Cecil Henson | 7 years | 1900 Mar 5 |
| (2) | Harry Henson | 6 | 1901 Nov 30 |
| (3) | Frank Henson | 4 | 1903 Sept 17 |
| (4) | Gladys Henson | 2 | 1905 July 18 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Bartow Co. Ga.

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan. 16th 1905

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | May Butler | 1870 | |
| | Shannon Ga. | | |
| (2) | Laura Rush | 1871 | |
| | Adairsville Ga. | | |
| (3) | William C. Watts | 1876 | |
| | Coltawah Tenn | | |
| (4) | Pearl Blankenship | 1878 | |
| | East Rome Ga. | | |
| (5) | Frank Watts | 1880 | |
| | Coltawah Tenn | | |
| (6) | Eric Watts | 1885 | |
| | Coltawah Tenn | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| William Watts | James Watters |
| ✓ | ✓ |
| Willie Watts | Nancy Watters |
| (Mc. Barty) | (Smith) |

18. Where were they born? Watts was from S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Bartow and Gordon Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | Elijah Watts (Dead) | Christian Watts (Dead) |
| (2) | George Watts (Dead) | Virginia Watts (Dead) |
| (3) | William Watts (Dead) | |
| (4) | Frank Watts (Dead) | Mrs. M. A. Lacy |
| (5) | Mary Watts (Dead) | Adairsville |
| (6) | Caroline Watts (Dead) | Ga. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My father William Watts was born June 26-1827

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Cherokee ancestors was Watts in S.C. John Watts Henry Malikiah Fredrick Jones James William of the older Watts family of the Cherokee tribe this I get from the older relative

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ida Henson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31st, 1907.

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co. Ga.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me U. D. White
and Berulah Patterson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida Henson
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U. D. White
Berulah Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31st, 1907.

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co. Ga.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Ida Benson

of Perryville Gordon Co in the State of Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

prosecute my
claim for an interest in the fund for
Eastern Cherokee under the Decrees of the Court
of Claims of May 28, 1906, and Act of Congress
of June 30, 1906,

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 day of August

Nineteen Hundred and Seven

Ida Benson

(SEAL)

Signed in presence of

E. D. White

Wm. H. Patterson

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

COUNTY OF

Floyd

SS.

Before me, a Ordinary in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Ida Benson of Perryville Gordon Co Ga

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this

12

day of

Aug

Nineteen Hundred and Seven

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co Ga

No. 35191
Name Mrs. May Butler and 7 children. Action: Reported
Residence: Hannon, Ga.
Reasons:

sister of 35189

35191

No. 55101

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

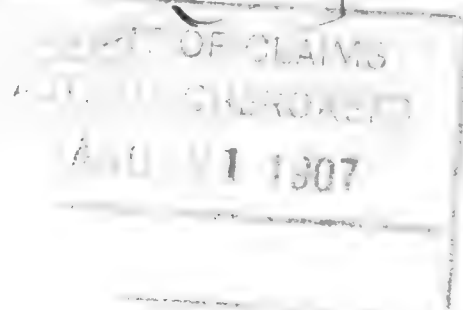
APPLICATION

Shannon^{OF}
Florence Colpa
Mrs. May Butler

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Filed for
11/24/07
W. H. Miller
Agent
C. J.



*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs Mary Dwyer

Indian name: Prithvi

2. Residence and post office: Shoreline

3. County: Wayne

4. State: Pa

5. How old are you? Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:.....

BORN.

(I) Dec 25th 1891

(2)

(3) Friday 16. 11.88

(4) July 13 - 1918

(5) *June 27 1961*

(6) 1908

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: 7 5 1 7

Father—English name: Ryan

Indian name: Saree

Mother—English name:

Indian name: Adolfo Ramirez Hernandez

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-------|-------|
| (I) | Ernst Edvard Hennarson | 1786 | |

Mr. George Bonkinship 1. 9. 1938

(2) William D. Waits b. 18

1. Perpetua's Gait 1880

(3) Red roof Warts 11 5

(4)

(5)

(6)

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? USA

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? old west record man

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(I)

(2) _____

(3) $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$

(4)

(2)

(5) _____

(6) $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 5

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*There was a family of Wata Cherokees in Se
Some were in the Cherokee Removals Henry Williams,
Malikah John & others from whom I am related
So I am informed by the older relatives*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

May Butler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

John P. Davis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 31st, 1906.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

U. D. White

and

Beriah Patterson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

May Butler

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her

for 15 years and

25

years, respectively, and know

her

to be the identical person

she

represents

herself

to be, and that the statements made by

her

are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

her

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U. D. White

Beriah Patterson

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My commission expires

Dec 31st, 1907.

John P. Davis

Notary Public.

Ordinary Floyd Coffey

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Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I,

Mary Butler

of

Shannon H. Hays

in the State of

Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston

Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

proceed on my claim for an interest in the land for Eastern Cherokee under the Decree of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, and Act of Congress of June 30, 1906,

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

12

day of

August

Nineteen Hundred

and Seven

Mary Butler

(SEAL)

Signed in presence of

W. D. White

Beulah Patterson

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

COUNTY OF

Floyd

SS.

Before me, a

Notary

in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Mary Butler

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this

12

day of

Aug

Nineteen Hundred and

Seven

John O. Davis

Ordinary Floyd Co. Ga.

No. 35192

Action: *Repet*

Name *Mrs. Laura L. Rush* and *5* children. Residence: *Wainville Mo.*

Reasons:

Sister of 35189

35192

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

X 4 R H & ^{OF} Adairsville Ga

Mrs. Laura L. Rush

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

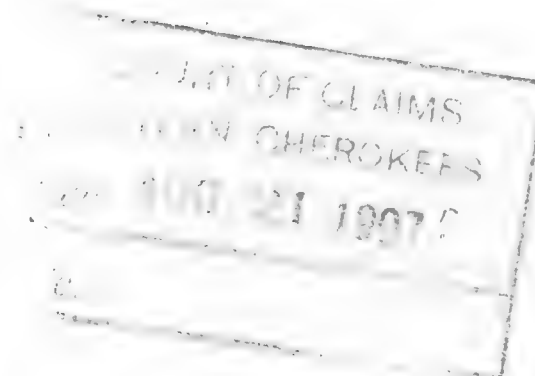
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Filed by

A W Ballew

Atlanta

Ga



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs Laura L. Rush

Indian name: William & Henry Watts

2. Residence and post office: #4, R.F.D. Adairsville

3. County: Bartow

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 36 Born 12, 1871

6. Where were you born? Franklin County, Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wm. P. Rush, age 40

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Paul L. Rush</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1892 - May 23</u> |
| (2) | <u>John L. Rush</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1895 - 8/14 - 23</u> |
| (3) | <u>Wm. L. Rush</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>1898 - 11/2 - 18</u> |
| (4) | <u>17. John L. Rush</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>1901 - 2 - 11</u> |
| (5) | <u>18. John L. Rush</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1904 - 1 - 23</u> |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William J. Watts

Indian name: Wm. Henry Watts

Mother—English name: John L. Rush

Indian name: Wm. Henry Watts

Maiden name: Wm. Henry Watts

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County, Georgia

Mother: Franklin County, Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: .. Barton, Ga

Mother: .. Barton, Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: .. Jan 10, 1905

Mother: .. still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I think W J Watts was enrolled in

~~the Completion of the Roles of 1851~~

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | Mrs. M. Butler Barton, Ga | 1870 | |
| (2) | Mrs. Ida Hanson Barton, Ga | 1875 | |
| (3) | William Watts Barton, Ga | 1875 | |
| (4) | Mrs. Paul C. Blankenship Barton, Ga | 1877 | |
| (5) | Frank Watts Barton, Ga | 1880 | |
| (6) | Fred Watts Barton, Ga | 1885 | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

.. William Watts
..
..
..
.. (Mc. City)

MOTHER'S SIDE.

.. James Watt
..
..
..
.. (Smith)

18. Where were they born? .. Watts was born in S. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .. in Barton

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | Eliza Watts (born) | Christian Watts (born) |
| (2) | Sister Watts (born) | Theresa Watts (born) |
| (3) | John Watts (born) | |
| (4) | Frank Watts (born) | Mrs. M. A. Lacy, |
| (5) | Mary Watts (born) | Chillicothe, Ga |
| (6) | Carroll Watts (born) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Do not know Indian names

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a decedent of the Watts family of S C?Cherokees
Henry Watts? Great Grand Father . a Cherokee . and in the Removal of 1838. the Ancestors on the Watts side was? ⁱⁿ Henry. Josiah?
Hesakiah? John? ~~John~~ . James. William & Pleasant Watts. all same family
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Laura L. Prish

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31st, 1908.

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co Ga
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me U. D. White
and Berulah Patterson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Laura L. P.
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U D White

Berulah Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31st, 1908.

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co Ga
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Mrs Laura L Rush

of 4 R F D Adairsville Bartow Co in the State of Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint

A W Ballew of Atlanta Ga, my true and lawful Attorneys, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

prosecute my claim for enrolment upon the Census & Pay Roler of the Eastern Cherokees Under the Decrees of the Court of Claims and by act of Congress of June 30 1906. and for the recovery of a sheare interest in the fund for the Eastern Cherokees & theire blood relation

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorneys shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 day of August Nineteen Hundred and Seven Laura L Rush (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

W D White
Beriah Patterson

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

COUNTY OF

Bartow

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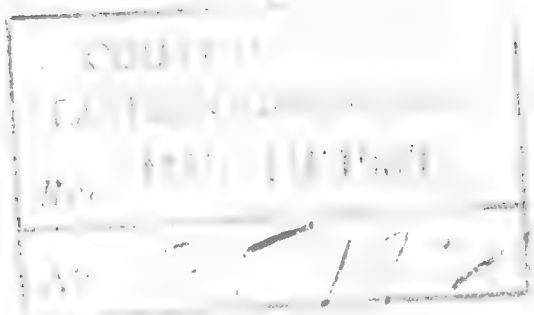
Before me, a Ordinary in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Laura L. Rush

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 12 day of Aug. Nineteen Hundred and Seven

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co. Ga.



W. B. L. Y.

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Adairsville, Ga.,
Mar. 10, 1908

Mr. Secretary:-

Last fall, through Mr.
A. W. Ballew, of Atlanta, I put
in claim No. 35192 - Cherokee
Distribution. I have never
heard anything from it. Will
you kindly let me know
if it has been passed upon?

Very resp.,

Mrs. Laura L. Rush,
Adairsville, Ga.
R. F. D. # 4.

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|--|
| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 14 1908 No. 35192 |
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DEC 14 1908

R. F. D. H.
Adairsville, Ga
Dec. 12, 1908.

Hon. Simon Miller,
Washington, D. C.
Dear Sir:-

If my application
has not finally been acted
upon, could I still offer
evidence - some things I
did not know when the
application was filed?

Very resp.,

Mrs. Laura E. Rush,
Adairsville,
Ga.

No. 35-193

Action: *Revised*

Name *Mrs. Carl Chankustip* and 4

children.

Residence: *East Rome Ga.*

Reasons:

Sister
Brother of 35189

35193

No. 135100

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

East Rome Ga

Mrs. Pearl Blankenship

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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DEPT. OF CLAIMS
Pearl Blankenship
23 1906
Pearl Blankenship
Blankenship

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Dor Blankenship | 9 | 1898. |
| (2) | Glyde Blankenship | 7 | 1900 |
| (3) | Lucile Blankenship | 4 | 1903 |
| (4) | Stallie Blankenship | 2 | 1905- |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bartow Co. Ga

Mother: SC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan 16, 1906

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I think Wm J. Watts

(1) as Enrolled with Cherokee tribe in C.T.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Mrs. Lela Henson</u> | | |
| | <u>Curryville Ga</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>William O. Watts</u> | | |
| | <u>Ooltowah Tenn</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Frank W. Watts</u> | | |
| | <u>Ooltowah Tenn</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>James O. Watts</u> | | |
| | <u>Ooltowah Tenn</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>Mrs. Mary Butler</u> | | |
| | <u>Shannon Ga</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>Mrs. Lela Bush</u> | | |
| | <u>Adairsville Ga</u> | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>William Watts</u> | <u>as not claimed on mother</u> |
| <u>SC</u> | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? SC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Adairsville Bartow Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Mrs. M. Lacy</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Adairsville Ga</u> | |
| (3) | <u>only one of their</u> | |
| (4) | <u>children living</u> | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

my father William J. Watts was born
June 27, 1827.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am one of the descendants of John
Watts, of SC a Cherokee Malikah. Henry
Pesant, William James are of the same family

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs Pearl Blankenship

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Decr. 31st, 1908

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co., Ga.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me U. D. White
and Bulah Patterson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Mrs Pearl Blankenship
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U. D. White

Bulah Patterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Decr. 31, 1908

John P. Davis
Ordinary Floyd Co., Ga.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Mrs. Pearl Blankenship

of East Rome Floyd Co in the State of Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

prosecute my
claim for an interest in the fund for
Eastern Cherokee or their blood relation under the
Decree of the Court of claims and by act of Congress
of June 30 1906,

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 day of Aug
Nineteen Hundred and Seven Mrs. Pearl Blankenship (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

U. D. White
Beniah Patterson
Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

COUNTY OF

Floyd

SS.

Before me, an

Ordinary

in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Mrs. Pearl Blankenship of East Rome Ga

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and I acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 12 day of Aug Nineteen Hundred and Seven

John P. Davis

No. 35194

Action: *Replied.*

Name *Hennetta Butler* and *X* children. Residence: *Adamsville, Ga.*

Reasons:

Sister of # 33395 and claim. This same source.

35194

No. 35794

Name *Henrietta*

With No. 33325

Remarks: *4 file*

No. 35191

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Henrietta Butler
Adairsville Ga

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attesty
A H Ballou
924 Houston
Atlanta
Ga

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Benjamin D. Butler

Indian name:

Adair

2. Residence and post office:

Adairsville

3. County:

Bartow

4. State:

Ga

5. How old are you?

24

Born

1883

6. Where were you born?

Adairsville, Bartow Co. Ga

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Jessie Butler

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>None</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Toney Stewart

Indian name:

Adair a Cherokee chief

Mother—English name:

Mattie Stewart

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Mattie Hutchinson

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Gordon Co. Ga.

Mother:

North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Georgetown Co. Ga.

Mother:

North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Dead since 1908

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

I do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|--------|--------|
| (1) | Alli Gilliard | Age 38 | Living |

| | | | |
|-----|---------------------|----|--|
| (2) | Eliza Stewart Gray, | 30 | |
|-----|---------------------|----|--|

| | | | |
|-----|--------------|----|--|
| (3) | Sarah Hobbs, | 35 | |
|-----|--------------|----|--|

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Andie Stewart

Idair

Eliza Curcum

None

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Dont know

Matilda Moreland,

18. Where were they born?

Dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Andie Stodge

Alfred, Albert Stewart

None

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if ~~known~~, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See Roles of Cherokee Removal in 1838 from Camps then known as New Echota. Cherokee Ga now Gordon Co Ga

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grandfather, Green Factor
was named Asaiah and was a Cherokee
chief + in the Cherokee Removal in 1838
+ shown upon the Role at New Echota Camps

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Henrietta Butler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19

day of Aug

1907

C. V. Barber

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1st, 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Viola Green

and Arthur Butler

that they are well acquainted with Henrietta Butler

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

C. V. Barber

Signatures of Witnesses.

Viola Green
W. A. Butler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13

day of Aug

1907.

My commission expires

July 1st, 1911, 190

C. V. Barber

Notary Public.

NOTE. Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Hennietta Butler Cole

of Adairsville Carroll Co in the State of Ga

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

prosecute
my claim for an interest in the fund
of the Eastern Cherokee or their blood relation
decree of the Court of claims of May 18
1906, and act of Congress of June 30 1906,

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 day of Aug
Nineteen Hundred Seven Hennietta Butler (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF Georgia

COUNTY OF Carroll

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared Hennietta Butler of Adairsville Ga
personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 13 day of Aug Nineteen Hundred and 7

A. W. Ballew
Attorney

No. 35195

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Therney Clemmons* and *X* children. Residence: *P.O. #6 Cedartown, Ga*

Reasons:

Neither applicant, nor any member of applicant's family, nor any of her ancestors, were ever enrolled with the Eastern Cherokee.

Was neither a party to the treaty of 1835 nor 1846, nor a descendant of a person who was a party to that treaty. (Misc. Conf. p. 1022)

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No. 35795-

Name Mrs T. Lemon

With No.

Remarks:

Examined at
Capt. Lemon, Ga
July 7, 1908

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. S. Clemmons.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*This Bundle is to be returned
to J. M. Ballou to file & keep
(original)*

*Filed by
J. M. Ballou
J. M. Ballou*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children, who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

no children

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Banks County Ga

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Apr 16th 1887

Mother: (about 30 years ago)

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| (1) | Flem Higgins | (Don't Know) | (4 years ago) |

| | | | |
|-----|------------|-----|--------|
| (2) | Walter " " | " " | Living |
|-----|------------|-----|--------|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|-----|------|
| (3) | Eliza Higgins | " " | Dead |
|-----|---------------|-----|------|

| | | | |
|-----|-----------|-----|-----|
| (4) | Ruben " " | " " | " " |
|-----|-----------|-----|-----|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|-----|------------|
| (5) | William " " | " " | Don't Know |
|-----|-------------|-----|------------|

| | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (6) | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Higgins
Jennie " "

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Whitwood
Don't Know

18. Where were they born? In Habersham County Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Asa Higgins only brother of my father in the world

(2) my mother's people all dead

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I have done this but I could name Father John Higgins was Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My Grand Father John Higgins was said to be a full blooded Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs. Thiney Clummons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires Dec 31st, 1907.

Ad Hogg Ordinary
Notary Public.
Pack County Ga

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Beasley
and G. J. Weaver, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Thiney Clummons who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. M. Brewster J. W. Beasley
G. J. Lyon G. J. Weaver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Dec 31st, 1907.

Ad Hogg Ordinary
Notary Public.
Pack County Ga

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Mrs Thence Clemmons

of Leeds Town Park County in the State of Georgia

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and

and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authority claim for an interest in the Georgia Relation under Cherokee or other Decree of Congress of Eastern Court of claims and of Decrees of the Court of June 30-1906

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of Aug.

Nineteen Hundred and Seven

Mrs Thence Clemmons (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

J. L. Clemmons
E. L. Leonard

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia

SS.

COUNTY OF

Park

Before me, a

J. A. D. Hogg

in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

Mrs Thence Clemmons

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that she signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as her free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 12th day of Aug. Nineteen Hundred and Seven

J. A. D. Hogg
Ordinary Park County Ga

No. 35185.

May 19, 1908.

Mr. T. Glendon,
Milledgeville, Ga. R. F. D. No. 1.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office if your parents were not
enrolled with the Eastern Cherokee in 1881.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokee
or recognized members of their tribe?

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

C. A. M.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAY 25 1908

OFFICE OF
Court of Ordinary
POLK COUNTY.

Cedartown, Ga. 190.

Mr. Lucion Miller
Washington D.C.
Dear Sir

In your favor of 19th Inst I have
In reply thus would say,

I am not able to say why my parents
were not enrolled in 1857. that being about
ten years prior to the date of my birth
I am quite sure that my parents lived
with & were recognized as members
of the Cherokee Tribe.

My parents were never held as slaves
there being no negro blood in any of my
ancestors. They were white. Indian
I trust you may find the above
information satisfactory I remain

Respectfully
Yours
H. H. R.

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No. 35195.

Thener Clemmons, being first duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is Thener Clemmons: I was born in Banks Co., Ga. 1861: I claim my Indian blood through my father: I think my father was born in Banks Co., Ga. 1816: I make no claim of Indian blood through my mother: my father got his Indian blood from his father: I never saw my grand father through whom I claim: I do not know where or when he was born: I am unable to trace any further back than my grandfather: I think my grandfather lived with the Cherokee Indians as a member of the tribe: I do not know in what state: I do not know where my father or grand father lived in 1851: I do not know where they resided in 1851: I do not know of any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever bore an Indian name: none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held as slaves: none of my ancestors through whom I claim ever went east with the Indians: both I and the ancestors through whom I claim have always been regarded as white people with an admixture of Cherokee Indian blood: I first learned of my Cherokee Indian blood from my parents who told me the grand father through whom I claim was almost a full blood Cherokee nation: none of my ancestors through whom I claim were ever enrolled and never received any money or land that I know of.

Thener Clemmons

and sworn to before me, at Cadartown, Ga.
this 27th day of July, 1901.

J. A. B.

Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Notary Public for the State of Georgia

No. 35196.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Bettie Carroll* and *1* children. Residence: *Cedar town, Ga.*

Reasons:

Applicant was a slave.

Wise. Inst. P. 1035.

35196

No 35196

Name

Det. Cannel

With No.

Remarks:

Incision not
on rock

Ex. C. d. d. d. d.
La. July 9, 1857

No. 35100

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Det Carrocc cola
Pedartown
Oak Co Ga*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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| 6-624 | OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS WASHINGTON, D. C. |
| AUG 21 1907 | |
| Filed by | |

A W Ballow

Atlanta
Ga

35100

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Bet Carro?

Indian name: Dunkin

2. Residence and post office: Cedar town Ga

3. County: Polk

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 55

Born in union to ga

6. Where were you born? _____

7. Are you married? married

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Jane Garrison</u> | <u>38</u> | <u>Apr 24th 1869</u> |
| (2) | <u>Leffer Carro</u> | | <u>Jan 24th 1874</u> |
| (3) | <u>Mary Carro</u> | | <u>June 16th 1876</u> |
| (4) | <u>Le novel Carro</u> | | <u>Jan 7th 1883</u> |
| (5) | <u>Le novel Carro</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>Vertie Carro</u> | | <u>Aug 15th 1892</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Not known

Indian name: Dunkin

Mother—English name: Darcus Dunkin

Indian name: Dunkin

Maiden name: Darcus Dunkin a Cherokee

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Karo

Mother: In North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dont Know

Mother: In Union County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dont Know

Mother: Sept. 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|--------|-----------|
| (1) | John Nawshan | | Apr. 1900 |
| | Liddy Nawshan | | Nov. 1870 |
| (2) | Mary Nawshan | | June 1899 |
| | Reed Nawshan | | 1889 |
| (3) | Elmer Nawshan (53) | living | |
| | Tom Nawshan (42) | " | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Dont Know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Mrs Lunkin

18. Where were they born? In North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Its Dont Know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) cant answer

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother was

Darcus Dunkin. Her mother was a
Miss Dunkin either half or full blood Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

From best information obtainable I am
1/4 Indian from Grand Mother Darcus
Dunkin

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

B. E. Carrall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

23rd day of July

1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31st

1908

A. D. Hogg Ordinary
Notary Public.
Park County Ga

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. W. Lindsay

and

J. W. Eggell

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

B. E. Carrall

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Mr E. M. Cornuck
E. L. Leonard

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Lindsay
J. W. Eggell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

Aug 12th day of Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31st

1908

A. D. Hogg Ordinary
Notary Public.
Park County Ga

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I, Beetie Garra Col

of Mr Dell Whitham Cedar town Polk Co in the State of Ga
have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint

Attorney of Atlanta Ga, my true and lawful Attorneys, irrevocable, for me and in my name,
place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to
prosecute my claim under the Decrees of the Court of Claims and Act
of Congress of June 30 1906 in favor of Eastern Cherokees or their blood
Relation

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys
full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the
premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirm
ing all that my said Attorneys shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree
to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of July
Nineteen Hundred and seven Beetie Garra Col (SEAL)

Signed in presence of
W. D. Hogg
Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF Georgia }
COUNTY OF Polk } ss.

Before me, as Ordinary in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared
Beetie Garra Col
personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed,
sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 23rd day of July Nineteen Hundred and seven
W. D. Hogg
Ordinary Polk county Ga

No. 55196.

May 18, 1908.

Pat Carroll,

Georgetown, D. C.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees or
some other group of their tribe?

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

JUN 22 1908

No.

Blair's ...
June 19, 1887

Mr. ...
...

35120.

No. 35196.

Let Carroll, being first duly sworn and examined,
depose and say:

His name is Let Carroll: I was born in Union Co.,
Ga. 1852: I claim no Indian blood through my mother: I
claim no Indian blood through my father: I was a slave:
my mother was a slave: my mother got her Indian blood from her
mother: my grandmother through whom I claim was also
a slave; and her name was Lucan: I have been told that I
was a quarter Cherokee Indian: I never saw my grandmother through
whom I claim: both I and the ancestors through whom I
claim were held in bondage by white people.

Bettie Carroll

Let Carroll and sworn to before me, at Cedartown, Ga.,
this 14th day of July, 1901.

J. H. J.
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

Let Carroll

No. 35197.

Action: *Repet.*

Name *James Potter* and *4* children. Residence: *Gill, Ga.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees. Applicants ancestors were slaves.

See letter herein.

35197

No. 35197.

Name James Potter

With No.

Remarks: Rijet - Slaves
See letter

Amsterdam not
on rolls,

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

James Porter Hill Esq
Lincoln Co.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 21 1907

James Porter Hill
Lincoln Co.

*This blood must be
returned by applicant
to Mr. Hill, to keep copy*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | James Hiram Potter | 19- | Sept 17 1886 |
| (2) | Fannie Elizabeth Potter | 16- | May 29-1891 |
| (3) | Bessie Potter | 14 | June 8-1893 |
| (4) | Minnie Potter | 13- | Jan 6-1894 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Near Allamakee Ga

Mother: Near Allamakee Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1872

Mother: 1867

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

12. Me. Land - 312 Acres Land

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>None</u> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

Indian Grandparent
was Simonson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Near Allamakee

Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Don't know</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James P. Bolton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

H. S. Lane
Notary Public

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

B. H. Bolton

and

E. L. Bolton

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

James P. Bolton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

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years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. H. Bolton

E. L. Bolton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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H. S. Lane
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I,

James Potter

of Hunter County

in the State of Georgia

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint A. W. BALLEW, 329 Houston Street, Atlanta, Ga., my true and lawful Attorney, irrevocable, for me and in my name, place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to

prosecute my claim for an interest in the
for Eastern Cherokee or desire blood relation
under the Decree of the Court of Claims of May 28-1906 and
act of Congress of June 30, 1906.

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

12 day of

August

Nineteen Hundred

Seven

James Potter (SEAL)

Signed in presence of

H. B. Ballew
E. J. Holt

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

STATE OF

Georgia
Walker

SS.

COUNTY OF

Before me, an Ordinary in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

James Potter

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the use and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this

12

day of

August

Nineteen Hundred and

Seven

H. B. Ballew

Ordinary

Hunter Co Ga

No. 37117.

May 13, 1909.

Dear Mr. [unclear],

Thank you.

Sir:-

As Mr. [unclear] told me that your parents were
connected with the [unclear] in 1841.
[unclear] ever live with the [unclear] as recognized
[unclear] their [unclear]? [unclear] they admitted to [unclear]
[unclear]

Were you [unclear] slave? If so, were you [unclear]
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]?

Respectfully,

Samuel [unclear] [unclear].

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CHEROKEES
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US Court of Claims
Ent. S.

you of May 19 at hand
I was not Born until
May 18.62 if they were
in Role I do not see it-
They did live with the
Cherokees as member of their
Tribe were owned by
Indians

Yours truly
James. Potter.

No. 35198.

Action: Reject

Name E. M. Sweet and X children. Residence: Blanton, Ala.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

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No. 35188

Name E. M. Smith

With No.

Remarks:

Ancestor not
on roll,

This claim is rejected because
One— No ancestor was ever enrolled.
Two— No ancestor was living with the tribe in 1835-6 or 1846, and, hence, no ancestor was a party to the treaties of those dates.
Three— This claim is based solely on the fact that applicant was always taught "that he was a half-breed Indian and of the Cherokee Tribe".
Four— No prima facie case is established.

F. S. T.

35192

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

E. M. Sweet - Cold
X / R H D Alenlon Ala

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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A. J. Ballew

Atlanta

Ga

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. ~~County~~:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | i have no children | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *was Not Living at that time*

Mother: *was living in the State of Maryland*
mother was living in South Carolina in 1861

14. Date of death of your father and mother: *mother died in*

Father: *Died 1852*

Mother: *Don't no*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *Don't no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| (1) | <i>George Smeat</i> | <i>South Carolina</i> | |
| | <i>Sarah Smeat</i> | | <i>Ala</i> |
| (2) | <i>Stephen Smeat</i> | | <i>Ala</i> |
| | <i>Nancy Smeat</i> | | |
| (3) | <i>Gilbert Smeat</i> | | |
| | <i>Betty Smeat</i> | | |
| (4) | <i>Ephraim Smeat</i> | | |
| | <i>Cassius Smeat</i> | | |
| (5) | <i>Quintian Smeat</i> | | |
| | <i>Martha Smeat</i> | | |
| (6) | <i>James Smeat</i> | | |
| | <i>William Smeat</i> | | |
| | <i>Mary Smeat</i> | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Indian Name Smeat

MOTHER'S SIDE.

English I don't no

18. Where were they born?

Don't no in SC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

not living

Mother was living in South Carolina 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *can't give them*

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand Father's Name was

Smeat - my Father's Name was Silas Smeat
Grand mother Smeat no - mother was Jenkins

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I left South Carolina in 1860 - my Father's ^{friend} Name was I was old
Came to Georgia and now living in 11 miles of where I first
Landed at John Hayatt - have him for nearly 47 years
as to my Grand Parent I don't ~~know~~ know much about them

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

E. M. Smeat
his mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

L. C. Hayatt N. P. Clappier J. P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. M. Hayatt Jr. and Calvin Chase
and W. M. Miles ~~642008~~, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with E. M. Smeat the applicant
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 47 years and
60 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in him claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Calvin Chase
W. M. Miles

L. C. Hayatt Jr.
N. P. Clappier J. P.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1908.
if not mistaken

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Power of Attorney.

Know all Men by These Presents, That I,

E. M. Sweet

of *H. R. H. D. Blanton*

in the State of

Ala.

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint

A. B. Ballow of Atlanta Ga., my true and lawful Attorneys, irrevocable, for me and in my name. place and stead, hereby annulling and revoking all Powers of Attorney and authorizations whatsoever in the premises, to prosecute his claim for Enrolment upon the Census & Payroll of the Eastern Cherokees. and to prosecute his claim for a share interest in the fund set aside for the Eastern Cherokees and their blood relation under the Decrees of the Court of Claims & the Act of Con-

and agree to furnish from time to time, any further evidence necessary and that may be demanded, giving and granting to my said Attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorneys shall lawfully do, and in consideration of the prosecution of said claim by my said Attorneys I further agree to furnish them any further Power of Attorney requested by them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal this *10* day of *August* *1907*

Nineteen Hundred *1907*

E. M. Sweet (SEAL)
chig
mark

Signed in presence of

W. M. X. M. S.

E. W. Henderson

Signature of Claimant MUST be attested by Two Witnesses.

Calvin X. Chase

STATE OF

Georgia

COUNTY OF

Harris

ss.

Before me, a *Notary Public* in and for the County and State aforesaid, this day personally appeared

E. W. Henderson - Calvin X. Chase - W. M. S. - who are

personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed to the above Power of Attorney, and acknowledged to me that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this *10* day of *August* Nineteen Hundred and *7*

L. C. Hayatt *Notary Public*

Mr. [Name]

13, 1908.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of the 11th.

Sir,

I am sorry that this letter has not been received by you.

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Yours faithfully,

Special Agent in Charge.

Yours faithfully,

COURT OF CLAIMS
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COURT OF COMMONS
EASTERN CHEROKEE
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Blounton, Ala.

June 22, 1907.

Special Commissioner, Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir,

Yours of June 10 received, & will say in reply, that I know I descended from the Cherokee Indians; but I know nothing of my ancestry any further back than my great-grandfather, whose name was Sweet; my father's name was Silas Sweet, and my mother's name was Tempia Jenkins, I don't know my great-grandmother's maiden name; neither do I know my Indian Ancestral name. I was born in Chesterfield District, S. C. on the 15 day of Dec. 1827; and came West in 1860.

his + mark
E. M. Sweet

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 8 1909

No. 35198

SIXTIETH CONGRESS.
HENRY S. BOUTELL, CHAIRMAN.
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JOHN W. LANGLEY.
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WILLIAM C. ADAMSON.
HARRY B. WOLF.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
COMMITTEE ON
EXPENDITURES IN THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

July 9th 1909

Gen. Guyon Miller,
Special Commissioner, The Ouray Bldg.,
C I T Y.

Dear Sir:

I refer for your consideration the enclosed letter, and ask you to write me about the case presented. I suspect that as in the other cases I wrote you about, this man failed to prove that he is a Cherokee.

Yours truly,

W. C. Adamson

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July 12, 1909.

Honorable . C. Jamson,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 9, 1909, inclosing a communication from Mr. W. C. Harpitt, of Marton, Alabama, in which he makes inquiry relative to the application of E. A. Sweatt.

In reply you are advised that this applicant was rejected for the reason that "it does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled, or that any ancestor was a party to the Treaties of 1835-6 and 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees."

Mr. Harpitt's letter is returned.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Sir.

Enclosure.

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65-171

Blanton Ala
Special Commissioner Simon Miller

Dear sir I have been
knowing uncle Smeat 36 years
my ~~last~~ ~~time~~ Father knew
him for 60 years and all
ways knew him to be ^{an} upright
hard working honest man
he is now in his 82 year & not
able to work for his living.

We will certainly appreciate
your efforts in getting this
through for him as he deserves
it.

Thanking you in advance
for what you may do

yours Respt

S. S. Blackburn

No. 35197

Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

35199

No. 35199

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. 35409

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

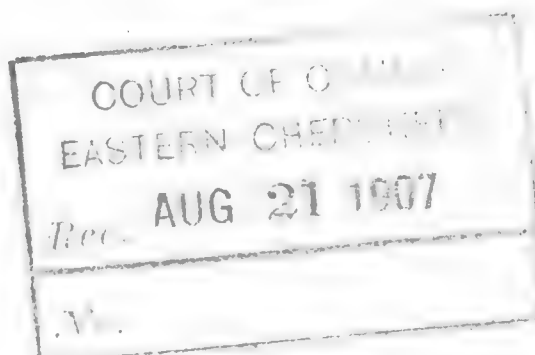
APPLICATION

OF

Eli Waddy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Eli Waddy

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Columbia

3. County:

Bozoma

4. State:

Texas

5. How old are you?

66 yrs

Born

in 1841

6. Where were you born?

Texas

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mary Waddy

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|-----------|------------------|
| (1) | <i>Ophelia Waddy</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>Jan 1871</i> |
| (2) | <i>Emma Waddy</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>Apr 1870-</i> |
| (3) | <i>Eva Waddy</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>Jan 1877</i> |
| (4) | <i>William Waddy</i> | <i>29</i> | <i>Nov 1878</i> |
| (5) | <i>Gantien Waddy</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>Oct 1881</i> |
| (6) | <i>Oliver Waddy</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>Mar 1880-</i> |

11

27

born

Ellis Waddy

20 yrs

1887

Warren Waddy

18 yrs

1889

Marshall Waddy

15

1892

none known

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Alabama

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1. State full name—

English name: Eli Waddy

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Columbia

3. County: Brayson

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 66 yrs Born in 1841

6. Where were you born? Texas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Waddy

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ophelia Waddy</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>Jan 1871</u> |
| (2) | <u>Emma Waddy</u> | <u>32</u> | <u>April 1874</u> |
| | <u>11-12</u> | <u>3 "</u> | <u>"</u> |

Father—English name: Mark Waddy

Indian name: not know

Mother—English name: Aileen Pitts

Indian name: none

Maiden name: not know

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Brayoria County Texas
Mother: 4 4 4

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Have no record
Mother: Have no record

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | John Waddy Jr | no record | alive |
| (2) | Robert Waddy | 68 7/2 | alive |
| (3) | Annalia Grover | no record | alive |
| (4) | Betsy Robinson | 1851 | alive |
| (5) | Amanda Timmons | no record | alive |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|------------------|
| <u>No Record</u> | <u>No record</u> |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------|----------|
| (1) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |
| (2) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |
| (3) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |
| (4) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |
| (5) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |
| (6) | <u>X</u> | <u>X</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: None known

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Eli X Waddy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

November

1908.

J. W. Hanks J. P. Prot 2 and
Ex officio a
in & for Brazoria Co Texas
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. L. Smith

and J. P. McAdams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Eli Waddy

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person whom represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Smith

J. P. McAdams

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My commission expires

Nov

1908.

J. W. Hanks J. P. Prot 2
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35200

No. 35201

Action: Reject

Name: Charles Reed and N. children. Residence: Douglass, Kans.

Reasons:
Indiv. v. or 1950.

35201

No. 5561

Name *W. J. Wood*

With No. 5560

Remarks:

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No. 35201

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

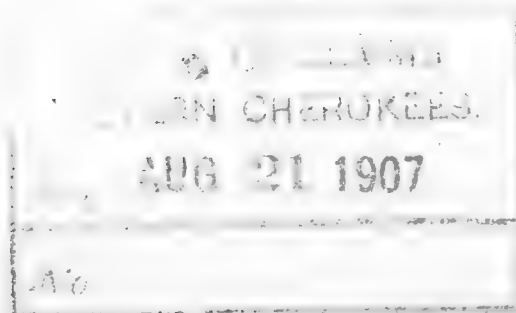
APPLICATION

OF

Charles Reed

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Ransom
10-2-07

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name: Charley Reed

Indian name: Mc Carley

2. Residence and post office: Douglas

3. County: Barton

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 41 Born 20 Oct 1865

6. Where were you born? Bates Co. Mo.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thymer Reed

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary Elizabeth Reed

Indian name: Mc Carley

Maiden name: Mary Elizabeth Sutherland

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Green Co. Mo.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 20, 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|--------------|-------|
| (1) | James Franklin Reed Lacy gne Kaus | Feb 21, 1862 | |
| (2) | Le P Reed Douglars | Oct 19 1868 | |
| (3) | Harold Reed Santanna, Cal. | 1870 | |
| (4) | Julia Estella Croghan Lacy gne Kaus | Dec 7 1874 | |
| (5) | Cornelius Reed | 1872 | |
| (6) | Eyenia Ann Kaden Lacy gne Kaus | Nov 21 1877 | |
| 7 | Hanner Bell McClain | June 2 1878 | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Reed

Reed

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smithman

Ruth Ann Smithman

Indian Name N/C Carter

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn. Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Rebecca Kaus Independence Kaus

(2) Mary Elizabeth Reed Lacy gne Kaus

(3) Harold Ann Kaus dead 1873 left 2 children

(4) William Jefferson Smithman dead 1883

(5) Jesse Harrison Smithman Boise City, Idaho

(6) Sarah Coristine Demell dead

7 Ruth Ann Kaus Douglars Kaus

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman

Great Grand Father Joseph M. Easley Grand Father James Smitherman

" " Mother Rebecca M. Easley Indian Name M. Easley

Grand Father Smitherman REMARKS.

" " Mother Mary Smitherman
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charles Reed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

Le J. Durham
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. J. Owen

and H. B. Owen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Charles Reed

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and

17 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Owen

H. B. Owen

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No. 352021

Action: Reject

Name John W. Bennett and X children. Residence: Atchison, Kans.

Reasons:

Refund of 33245. Claims
from same source.

35202

No. 502 02

Name

With No...

3 300 45

Remarks :

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No. 55002

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

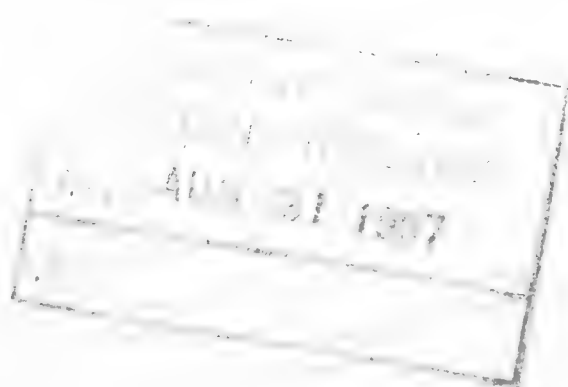
APPLICATION

OF

John Bowlin Bennett.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. K. Robinson
City

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Aug 21 - 1892

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Claude Bennett San Francisco Calif | Sep 7 - 1882 | |
| (2) | Mary Rob Bennett | Sep 11 - 1884 | |
| (3) | Pillsbury Kan. | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| Abram Bennett | Joseph Strickland |
| Mary Bennett | Mary Ann Strickland |
| | Mary Ann Smith Fowler (Ordian name) |

18. Where were they born? Ills. Tenn. Ark & Tennessee.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas & North Arkansas.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Josephine | New York City |
| (2) | Elizabeth Strickland | Michela Kan |
| (3) | McDoris Strickland | Michela Kan |
| (4) | Johnna Bennett | Michela Kan |
| (5) | Bertha Ann | Michela Kan |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mr. Allen Bowlin Smith Alstead made application for citizenship in 1881 which J. B. May stated that his evidence was submitted to Chief Mag. in a personal interview and he pronounced it sufficient, later through the neglect of his attorney his papers became lost.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Bowlin Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of August, 1907.

John N. Terry

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 3rd, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. E. Harouff

and

R. C. Jack

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

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3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Harouff
R. C. Jack

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Feb 3rd, 1909.

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No. 35203

Action: Reject

Name Mary T. Bennett and X children. Residence Pittsburg, Kans.

Reasons:

Memo of 133245. Plain &
Thru ...

35203

No.

55203

Name

W. J. Bennett

With No.

55202

Remarks:

1/10/1918

Recd 7-33245

No. 33245

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Pearl Bennett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

RECEIVED
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 27 1907

W. H. Robinson
Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Mary Pearl Bennett

Indian name:

Mary Pearl Bowlin Smith Strickland

2. Residence and post office:

Pittsburg Kansas

3. County:

Crawford

4. State:

Kansas

5. How old are you?

23 yrs. Born Sep 11 - 1884

6. Where were you born?

Wablin Texas

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

none

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Joseph Bennett

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Johanna Bennett

Indian name:

Johanna Bowlin Smith

Maiden name:

Johanna Bowlin Smith Strickland

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Wablin Texas

Mother:

Bellefonte Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas

Mother: Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August - 21 - 1892

Mother: not deceased

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: can't state

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Cloude Bennett</u> | <u>Apr 7 1882</u> | |
| | <u>San Francisco Calif</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Mary Pearl Bennett</u> | <u>Apr 11 - 1884</u> | |
| | <u>Pittsburg Kan.</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>John P. Bennett</u> | <u>can't state</u> | |
| | <u>Younger than my self</u> | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>Hermon Bennett</u> | <u>Joseph Strickland</u> |
| <u>Nancy Bennett</u> | <u>Mary Ann Strickland</u> |
| | <u>(Mary Ann Bowlin Smith)</u> |

18. Where were they born? Ills Tenn Ark. & Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas and North Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------------|---|
| (1) | <u>can't state as to</u> | <u>Jay Strickland New York City</u> |
| (2) | <u>Father's side</u> | <u>Johnas Bennett Wichita Kan</u> |
| (3) | | <u>Peter Strickland Wichita Kan</u> |
| (4) | | <u>Elizabeth Strickland Wichita Kan</u> |
| (5) | | <u>Leahontas M. Farland Wichita Kan</u> |
| (6) | | <u>Art B. Strickland deceased</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Bowlin (Indian) on mother's side,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Mary Ann Bowlin Smith Stuckland made application for citizenship in 1881 under Joel B. May (then chief) her evidence was submitted to chief judge in a personal interview and he pronounced it correct, later through the neglect of her attorney her papers were lost.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Pearl Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug, 1907.

E. W. Abbott
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 1st, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

D. B. D. Gibb

and

Arthur Moberg

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary Pearl Bennett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and

3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

D. B. D. Gibb

Arthur Moberg M.D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 1st, 1911.

E. W. Abbott
Notary Public.

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No. 35204.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *John H. Waford* and *X* children. Residence: *Augusta, Kansas.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846 or that any ancestor was ever enrolled. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee. Grand father John Waford born in Indiana. in 1828. See letter Filant Amanda Plork in #38045.

35204

No. 35204 Ex File

Name John H. Wafar

With No. Kansas = Butler County

Remarks: Also # 35205 =

41198 = # 38044 = # 38045 =

38046 = # 38047 = # 38916 =

38917 = # 38918 = # 38400 =

No. 15801

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Waford

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

AUG 21 1907

W. A. Robinson Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born at that time

Mother: not born at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father John L. Waford
was enrolled as a Cherokee at Tahlequah 1898

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Clarence B Waford | March 11 1885 | Okla |

| | | | |
|-----|------------------|-------------|------|
| (2) | Charles H Waford | June 2 1888 | Okla |
|-----|------------------|-------------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------------|---------------|------|
| (3) | Clarence A Waford | April 12 1890 | Okla |
|-----|-------------------|---------------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|-------------|------|
| (4) | Cleo L Waford | Oct 21 1891 | Okla |
|-----|---------------|-------------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------------|------|
| (5) | Clay L Waford | Nov 5 1893 | Okla |
|-----|---------------|------------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|------|
| (6) | Maggie M Waford | Sept 19 1895 | Okla |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|------|

| | | | |
|--|---------------|--------------|------|
| | Eugene Waford | April 6 1899 | Okla |
|--|---------------|--------------|------|

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John Waford
Leather Waford

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Georgia & Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Iowa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------|--------|
| (1) | Rhoda A Davidson | Canada |
|-----|------------------|--------|

| | | |
|-----|---------------|----------|
| (2) | Artisha Smith | Arkansas |
|-----|---------------|----------|

| | | |
|-----|------------------|-----------------|
| (3) | Charles A Waford | Cherokee nation |
|-----|------------------|-----------------|

| | | |
|-----|--------------|-----|
| (4) | Amanda Clark | " " |
|-----|--------------|-----|

| | | |
|-----|----------------|-----|
| (5) | Mary Bell Carr | " " |
|-----|----------------|-----|

| | | |
|-----|--|--|
| (6) | | |
|-----|--|--|

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Supposed to be enrolled with the Cherokees at Tahlequah in 1898*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *John H. Waford father John Waford grand father Indian name Waford*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John H. Waford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17th* day of *August*, 1907.

Cora Norma

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Joe R. Switzer

and

Loe Switzer

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John H. Waford

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

for *18* years and

18 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joe R. Switzer

Loe Switzer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17th* day of *August*, 1907.

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No. 35205

Action: 78-5-17-1-

Name: [illegible] and [illegible] children. Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

35205

No.

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John C. Wafard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

AUG 23 1907

W. H. Robinson
Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|---|-------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | John H Waford | 23 | Nov 4 1883 |
| (2) | Clarence B Waford | 22 | March 11 1885 |
| (3) | Charles W Waford | 20 | June 2 1888 |
| (4) | Lebbie A Waford | 18 | April 12 1890 |
| (5) | Lebe W Waford | 16 | Oct 21 1891 |
| (6) | Lebe L Waford | 14 | Nov 5 1893 |
| | Margie M Waford | 12 | Sep 19 1894 |
| 11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: | Eugene Waford | 8 | April 6 1899 |

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Iowa

Mother: Iowa

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 4 1899

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father John Waford
was enrolled as a Cherokee at Tahlequah 1887

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Rhoda A Davidson</u> <u>Canada</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Martisha Smith</u> <u>Arkansas</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Charles A Waford</u> <u>Cherokee Nation</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>Amanda Clark</u> <u>Cherokee Nation</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>Mary Bell Coar</u> <u>Cherokee Nation</u> | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| <u>Adam Waford</u> | <u>Indian name</u> |
| <u>Amanda Bowen</u> | <u>Indian name</u> |

18. Where were they born?

Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

in Iowa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|--|
| (1) | <u>Unknown</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

yes I was enrolled with the Cherokee at Tahlequah 1898

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*John Waford my father
Adam Waford Grandfather*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*The commission sent me application
Blanks for me and my children which
I duly executed and sent in which must have
been lost as I never heard from them*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John C. Waford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17th* day of *August*, 1907.

Leon Horn

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 4th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

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and

Leon Switzer

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

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knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joe R. Switzer

Leon Switzer

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May 4th, 1908.

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October 1, 1941

John A. Smith,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your application for participation in the
Federal Reserve Bank, which was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.

1. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.
2. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.
3. The application was received on the following date:
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4. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.
5. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.
6. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.
7. The application was received on the following date:
October 1, 1941.

Very respectfully,
John A. Smith,

John A. Smith

Appln. No. 35205.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

December 2, 1908.

John C. Waford,
Augusta, Kansas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, correct answers to the following questions are necessary to the proper adjudication of your claim:

1. Were you, and your children, or any of them, enrolled by the Dawes Commission?
2. If so, name the enrolled ones and give the roll number of each.
3. When, and in what county and state, was your father, John Waford, born?
4. In what county and state was your father living in 1851?
5. Did your father ever live in the Cherokee nation west of the Mississippi River? If so, when and in what District?
6. Were any of your ancestors enrolled in 1851?

Awaiting an early reply, in which you are requested to refer to No. 35205, ASM.

Yours respectfully,

Guion Miller
Special Commissioner.

ASM/ELO.

By

N. L. Crawford
Chief Clerk.

No. 35206.

Action: Rejected.

Name Elizabeth Jane Bruce and 5 children. Residence: Augusta, Van.

Reasons:

Ancestors of applicant not enrolled. Testimony does not definitely show ancestors to have been parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.

Misc. Test. 2023.

35206

Field name ?

No. 35206

Name Elizabeth J. Bruce

With No.

Remarks: 35216, 38146,
35217, 35780, 35781

Ancient not
on rolls.

No. 37200

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

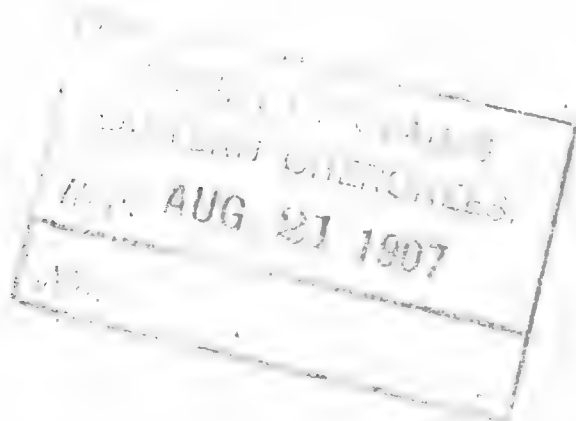
APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Jane Bruce

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W H Robeson
Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Elizabeth Jane Bruce*

Indian name: *Murray*

2. Residence and post office: *Augusta*

3. County: *Butler*

4. State: *Kansas*

5. How old are you? *49* Born *April 18 1858*

6. Where were you born? *Oregon County Missouri*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Henry W Bruce Oct. 6 1848*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokees Eastern*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <i>Forest W Bruce</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>Feb 7 1883</i> |
| (2) | <i>Virgil W Bruce</i> | <i>21</i> | <i>July 4 1886</i> |
| (3) | <i>Warren W Bruce</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>May 30 1889</i> |
| (4) | <i>Anna B Bruce Dillon</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>May 30 1889</i> |
| (5) | <i>Jessie C Bruce</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>Feb 3 1891</i> |
| (6) | <i>Lizzie M Bruce</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>Sept 20 1895</i> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *John Nicholas Murray*

Indian name: *Murray*

Mother—English name: *Jane Murray*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Jane Parrick*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *In Tennessee*

Mother: *Missouri*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oregon Co Missouri

Mother: Oregon Co Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 10 1861

Mother: March 7 1861

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father John Nicholas Murray
lived with his people the Cherokee Indians from 1844 to 1849

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Kutless Murray</u> | <u>1843</u> | |
| (2) | <u>J. A. Murray</u> | <u>1850</u> | <u>July 17 1875</u> |
| (3) | <u>Dempsey Murray</u> | <u>1863</u> | <u>Aug 28</u> |
| (4) | <u>Polly Coyprett</u> | <u>1856</u> | <u>May 10</u> |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|---------------------------|----------------|
| | <u>John Murray</u> | |
| | <u>Indian name Murray</u> | |
| | <u>Betsy Murray</u> | |

18. Where were they born? in Murray Co Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Stephen Murray</u> | <u>Residence unknown</u> |
| (2) | <u>Indian name Murray</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Isaac Murray</u> | <u>" " "</u> |
| (4) | <u>Murray</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Eleve Murray</u> | <u>" " "</u> |
| (6) | <u>Murray</u> | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father John Nicholas Murray
Grandfather John Murray
Grand Mother Murray

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grandfather John Murray married an Indian woman in Murray Co Georgia the daughter of a noted Indian who was prominent in their Council

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth Jane Bruce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

Cora Horna

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. E. West
and R. A. Marshall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Jane Bruce who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 23 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. West
R. A. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908.

Cora Horna

Notary Public.

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STATE OF MISSOURI,
JES.
MORGAN COUNTY.

E. F. Betts

being duly sworn on his oath says:

That he was well acquainted with Nicholas Murray ~~in 1847~~ and know
him to be of Indian Blood and that he acknowledged a tribal relation with
the Cherokee Indians by having lived with them in their new possession
west of the Mississippi River. My age is 59 years being born in 1846.

E. F. Betts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May A. D. 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 14th 1907

STATE OF KANSAS,
BUTLER COUNTY.

Elizabeth Jane Bruce being duly sworn on her oath says:

That she was on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1907, at Muskogee Indian Territory, and there through her duly authorized agent F. M. Harrison did offer to file her petition and proof as required by law, for enrollment as a member of the Tribe of Cherokee Indians to the Daves Commission at their office to Hon. *James D. Dwyer* member in charge, but said Commissioner refused to receive said application and proofs for the reason that the same was out of time. That said affiant had made due diligence and every effort to secure proofs and that that was the earliest date at which she was able to furnish proof for enrollment as required by law.

Elizabeth Jane Bruce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of May A. D. 1907.
James D. Dwyer
Notary Public.

Commission expires *May 4th 1908.*

State of Kansas,)
) ss.
Butler County.)

Elizabeth Jane Bruce of lawful age being duly
sworn on her oath says:

That she is the mother of the following named children:

Forest E. Bruce Born February 7th 1883.

Virgil W. Bruce Born July 4th 1885.

Warren W. Bruce Born May 30th 1889.

Anna B. Bruce Dillon Born May 30th 1889.

Jessie Colista Bruce February 3rd 1891.

Eizzie M. Bruce Born September 20th 1895.

And further affirms says not.

Elizabeth Jane Bruce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of May A. D. 1907.

L. A. L. L. L.
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 4th 1908.

State of Arkansas
County Randolph } S.S.

Mrs Susan Blankenship being of
lawful age on oath deposes as follows
I knew Mrs Elizabeth Jane Bruce
when a small girl known then as
Elizabeth Jane Murray daughter of
John Nicholas Murray and that the
said Mrs Elizabeth Jane Bruce is
the same person known to me in my
childhood days as John Nicholas Murray's
daughter she being one my playmates in
childhood also knew her to be of
Indian Blood through her father.
This statement I make of my own free
will from personal knowledge, further
affiant Deposeth not.

Signed Mrs. Susan Blankenship
witness to give oath mark

State of Arkansas
Randolph County } S.S.

Be it remembered that on this 21st
day of December 1907 before me
~~Circuit Clerk~~ ^{me} a
~~Notary Public~~ in and for said county
and State came Mrs Susan
Blankenship to me personally
known to be the same person who execu-
-ted the within Instrument and duly
acknowledged the execution of the
same.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto sub-
-scribed my name and affixed my official
seal on the day and year above written

J. J. Lewis
Circuit Clerk

day of December 1907 before ^{me} a
~~Circuit Clerk~~
~~Notary Public~~ in and for said county
and State came Mrs. Susan
Blankenship to me personally
known to be the same person who execu-
-ted the within Instrument and duly
acknowledged the execution of the
same

In Witness whereof I have hereunto Sub-
-scribed my name and affixed my official
seal on the day and year above written

J. J. Lewis
Circuit Clerk
~~Notary Public~~

No. 35208.

May 20, 1908.

Elizabeth Jane Bruce,

Augusta, Kas.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1881.

Did you, or your ancestors, ride to the West?

Did your parents ever live with the Eastern Cherokees
or recognize members of their tribe?

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned by
White people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

/AHL

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
MAY 26 1908
No

45-16
HUG-10

Augusta Kansas.

May 23. 1908

Mr. Quion Miller Special Commissioner Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

I received your letter and questions of May 20. 1908 and will proceed to answer them.

Question one - According to the best information I can obtain my father was settled prior to 1851.

Question two - My father moved west when the Eastern Cherokees were removed by the U. S. Government in 1837 or 1838.

Question three - My father lived with them from the time of their arrival in the west until 1841 when he was 1844 or 1849 or 50 as a recognized member of the Eastern Cherokee tribe.

Question four - My father was never a slave.

Mrs Elizabeth Jane Duce.

Augusta

Kansas

No 35206

Elizabeth J. Bruce, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Elizabeth J. Bruce; my post-office is Augusta, K. n.; I was born at Oregon Co., Mo. in 1858; I claim relationship to the Eastern Cherokees, through my father, John Nicholas Murray who was a half-blood Cherokee Indian; my father was born in Murray Co., Ga. in the year 1820; my father's mother was a full blood Indian; I do not know her maiden name. My grandfather was named John Murray and he was a white man; my father, John Murray came with the Indians to Indian territory about 1837; he was recognized by the Indians and was a member of the Eastern Cherokee tribe; he lived in Indian Territory with the Indians until 1840 when he moved to Missouri and was married to a white woman in 1841; he lived in Oregon Co., Mo. until the year 1844 when he returned to the Indian Territory; his wife having died just previous to his moving back to the Territory; he stayed in the Territory until 1849, then he went back to Missouri and married in 1850 a widow woman whose name was Jane Jobe; after this time he would visit his people in the Territory but could not stay there but would always come back to Missouri where he finally settled and died in 1861; my father by his first marriage had one son, Keetless Murray (No. 35216) and he resides in Missouri and could give full information, the same as I have given. I file herewith affidavit of Susan Blankenship and A. C. Cornican, also affidavit as to my children, also affidavit of Isaac Kester. My father was enrolled in the Territory as a Cherokee Indian; I do not remember the number and the paper has been lost; my father could speak the Indian language and we have often heard of his being a great horse man; he was known among the Indians as "Heep-much-Horse-man"; my father had three brothers, Stephen, Isom and Cleve Murray; I do not know what became of these brothers. My father was a member of the Council of Cherokees in the Territory and we have often heard him talk of John Ross, who was one of the head men of the Territory.

Elizabeth J. Bruce (Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1908 at Augusta, Kansas.

Stanley Bond

Assistant to Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims.

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affidavit for
Elizabeth Brown

State of Missouri
County of Oregon Isaac Kester

Being duly sworn upon oath states
That Eliza J Bruce maiden name
Eliza J Murray is and was of
John C. Murray was well ac-
quainted with the family of the
said Kester & her to the
knowledge of the said John C. Murray
on the 12th day of June 1891
The said Eliza J
Bruce in any way
H. H. Patton
H. H. Chase

Isaac Kester
Notary Public

State of Missouri
County of Oregon Jan 9th 1908
On this day personally
Isaac Kester

and attest
Joseph S. Whithead
Notary Public

my time of signing
this certificate 1/11/11

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Wagonville Kansas

September 14th 1908

Stanley C. Houtz Assistant Commissioner Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

Enclosed you find these additional affidavits that you directed me to procure for Mrs Elizabeth Jane Bruce from her two brothers (Louis & Keethless & Dempsey Murray) I have numbered them with the number so they may be easily designated as belonging to her Testimony Now Mr Houtz if there is any thing else needed dont fail to let me know if this corroborated evidence is sufficient to complete her claim please let me know in your reply, yours truly

J. W. Harrison
Wagonville Kansas
Box 110.
Bet Lizzie Bruce.

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State of Arkansas
County Randolph { T. S. No 3527
Kestless Murray being of lawful age on his oath
deposes as follows John Murray (Sen) was
born about the year 1790 being of Scotch descent
about the year 1810 he was married to an Indian
woman of some renown being a daughter of one of
the principle men of their Councils he had four
sons by this marriage (to wit) Stephen John
(levy) and John M. Murray. John M. Murray
was the youngest of these four boys and
was my father He moved with the Eastern
Cherokees to the John Ross party Indian Territory
In about the year 1837 or 1838 He was born in
Georgia in 1820 and as stated above he emigrated
with his tribe to Indian Territory and settled near
Tahlequah He was present when the Constitution
was adopted September 12. 1839, although a young
man being a member of the ~~proposed~~ Council
his influence was highly regarded by the older
members after the adoption of the constitution

he made a tour of the new country this was in
1840 and came to Missouri where he married in 1841
and lived in Missouri visiting his people at
intervals until 1844 when his wife died and he
returned to his tribe and lived with them until
1849 when he again came to Missouri and married
a Mrs Jane Gore a widow he with his wife went
back to his tribe for a short time and then
to Missouri where he remained until his death
which occurred July 10. 1861 his papers and
Indian title man were destroyed during the
Civil war and become lost further effort with
(either to more

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 and lived in Missouri visiting his people at
 intervals until 1844 when his wife died and he
 returned to his tribe and lived with them until
 1849 when he again came to Missouri and married
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 back to his tribe for a short time coming back
 to Missouri where he remained until his death
 which occurred July 10. 1861 his papers and
 Indian Talisman were destroyed during the
 civil war and become lost further affiant saith
 not. } witness to make
 signed J. C. Hall. Keelless ^{his} Murray
 X
 men

Subscribed and sworn to, before me, A. B. Cecil a Notary Public
 within and for Lawrence County, on this 19th day of August 1908
 that said statement was true to the best of his knowledge
 in the presence of Willie Cybert, on the day and at the
 above mentioned place.
 Witness my hand and official seal on this 19th day of Aug 1908
 My Com & 1st 20/08- A. B. Cecil
 Notary Public

State of Missouri }
County Oregon } S. S.
~~at C. Cornman~~ being of lawful age on oath
Deposes as follows: I knew John Nicholas
Murray "Sen" That he came west with the
Cherokee Tribe of Indian known as the
Eastern Cherokees he being a member of
the tribe by blood (1/2) and located with them
in the Indian Territory. He came to Missouri
the last part of 1839 or early in 1840 probably it was
1840 he married in 1841 and lived in Mo until 1844
when he returned to Indian Territory his wife
having died in the meantime he lived with
his people until 1849 when he again returned
to Mo and in 1850 he married Jane Gobe
he again with his wife visited his Indian
people but did not remain with them but
came back to Mo where on the 10th day July 1861
he was assassinated by being shot in an
ambush. This statement I make from personal
recollection as I met many Indians in
the Territory who made special inquiries
about the "Heap high horse man" meaning)

John N Murray further affiant
Deposeth not
Signed

State of Missouri }
County Oregon } S. S. A. C. Cornman

Be it remembered that on this 7th day of
Dec 1867 before me a notary public in and for
said county and state came ~~at C. Cornman~~ to me per-
sonally known to be the same person who ex-
ecuted the within instrument and duly
acknowledged the execution of the same,
in witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my name and affixed my official seal the

John C. Murray further affiant
Deposeth not
Signed

State of Missouri } S. J. A. C. S. Larnican
County Oregon }

Be it remembered that on this 7th day of
Dec 1907 before me a notary public in and for
said county and state came ~~A. C. Larnican~~ to me per-
sonally known to be the same person who ex-
ecuted the within instrument and duly
acknowledged the execution of the same,
In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed
my name and affixed my official seal the
day and year last above written

J. H. Jones
Notary Public

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State of Missouri, (5) 351002
County of Oregon, ss.
I, Joseph Murray being of lawful age
deposes as follows: That John Murray Sen
was born about the year 1790 and in the
year 1810 he was married to an Indian
woman of the Eastern Cherokee who
was a daughter of one of the principal
men of their councils, he was married
in what is now known as Murray Co
Georgia in about the year 1810. He had
four sons by this marriage "To Wit"
Stephen, Abner, Ebene and John A Murray
John A Murray was the youngest of these
four boys and was my father he was
born in Georgia in the year 1820 and
~~was~~ removed with his wife west to
Indian Territory in the year 1837 or 1838
and settled near Tahlequah, A. T. he was
present when the constitution was adopted
Sept 12th 1839 although a young man at the

time he was removed as a man of ability
he being a member of the council. He left
his tribe after the constitution was adopted
on a tour of the new country and came to
Oregon Co Mo in 1837 or 1840 perhaps it
was in 1840. He was married in 1841 and
stayed in Missouri visiting his people at
intervals until 1844 when his wife died
he then returned to his people and lived with
them until 1847 when he came back to
Missouri and again married this time he
married a white woman Mrs Jane Jolly my
mother, he went back to his people 1850 and

them untill 1849 when he came back to Missouri and again married this time he married a widow a Mrs Jane Gobe my mother. he went back to his people 1850 and returned after a visit of a year or two to Missouri where he lived untill his death which occurred July 10, 1861 when he returned in 1852 he brought with him his Indian Talisman and papers containing his number and official standing with his tribe. These papers were all destroyed by raiders during the civil war further Affiant sayeth not signed

Jerry Murray

State of Missouri }
County Oregon } S.S

be it remembered that on this 2nd day of September A.D. 1908 before me a notary public in and for said

to me personally known to be the same person who executed the within instrument and duly acknowledged the execution of the same I witnessed whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal on the day and the year last above written

Lewis P. Norman
Notary Public

My term Expires

March 31, 1911.

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Henry Murray

State of Missouri }
County Oregon }

S.S.

be it remembered that on this 2nd day of September A.D. 1908 before me a notary public in and for said county and State came ~~Henry Murray~~

to me personally known to be the same person who executed the within instrument and duly acknowledged the execution of the same In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal on the day and the year last above written

Lewis P. Norman
Notary Public

My term expires

March 3, 1911.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 11 1909
No.

WILLIAM H. ROBESON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
BOND BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D.C.

September 9, 1909.

Hon. Union Miller, Special Commissioner,
Murray Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In the case of Dempsey Murray No. 35217, you have abstracted on testimony page 2023 B, the deposition of Elizabeth J. Bruce, in the latter part of which she refers to the fact that she is filing affidavits of Susan A. Blankenship, A. C. Cornican and Isaac Kester. These affidavits are not a part of your record. Instead of making a formal motion, I request that you transmit to the court, giving me notice, the affidavits referred to, or let me have copies thereof, that I may use them in the preparation of exceptions.

It is not improper to say that with the possible exception of the family claiming through Rebecca Darwall, this Bruce family is the only one of the southern Kansas claims represented by me, in which your action should have been different.

Yours very truly,

Wm. H. Robeson

September 15, 1909.

William H. Robeson, Esq.,
Bond Building,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of September 9, 1909, relative to the application of Dempsey Murray, No. 25217, in which you request that I transmit to the Court certain affidavits, referred to in your letter, which are likewise referred to in the deposition of Elizabeth J. Bruce. You base your request on the fact that you desire to use these affidavits in the preparation of your exceptions.

In reply permit me to say that I will be very glad to allow you to examine these affidavits and all other papers connected with this case at this office (708 Murray Building), but I do not see how I could with propriety file a portion of the records in the Court of Claims as it would cause us much confusion, and I would be unable to tell with a certainty where any papers were to be found, or at least could be unable to place my hands immediately upon them when needed in the office. I therefore feel that the files of applications and accompanying papers should be kept intact in this office, where as indicated above, they may be inspected by any attorney in interest.

Very respectfully,

WM:HEC

Special Commissioner.

No. 35207

Action: Reject

Name

Elizabeth Preadaway and 3.

children.

Residence:

Elizabethton, Tenn.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled
or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6
& 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

Misc List. 175-1

35207

Penn. = Carter County

No. 35207

Name Elizabeth Preadway

With No. Penn. = Carter County

Remarks: And also # 35691 = # 35692 =
38482 =

These applications
belong with 35207

No. 35207

Name Elizabeth Treadway

With No.

Remarks: 35208, 09, 10, 11,

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Wm. Carter Co

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

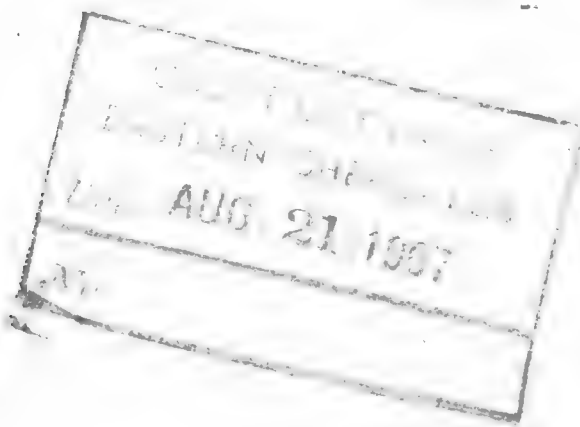
APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Madaway

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906

6-624



W. H. Roberson
Att.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Mr. J. B. Treadaway | 25 | 1882 |
| (2) | Bessie J. " " | 23 | 1884 |
| (3) | Yungui " " | 21 | 1886 |
| (4) | Edw. H. " " | 18 | 1889 |
| (5) | William " " | 17 | 1890 |
| (6) | Brownlow " " | 12 | 1895 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Carter County Tenn.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888.

Mother: 1906.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|----------------|---------|
| (1) | Jamie Deloach | Nellie Deloach | # 35209 |
| | | Emeline " | |
| (2) | Mary " | | |
| (3) | John " | | |
| (4) | Liv R " | | |
| (5) | Jane. | | |
| (6) | Mim | | |
| | Sam. | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Jay Deloach | George Allen |
| Phoebe Deloach | Allen |
| | |
| | |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Dead.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------|--------------|
| (1) | Mary Deloach | Mary Deloach |
| (2) | Mary | John |
| (3) | Nathan | |
| (4) | Mary | |
| (5) | Mary | |
| (6) | Phoebe | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: This application is filed for claim by descent from Stephen Haldron a Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
This application is made by descent from Stephen Haldron a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

W. H. H. H.

(Signature)

Elizabeth H. H. H.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Black Birch Court

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. H. H.

and A. J. H. H., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. R. H. H.
A. J. H. H.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

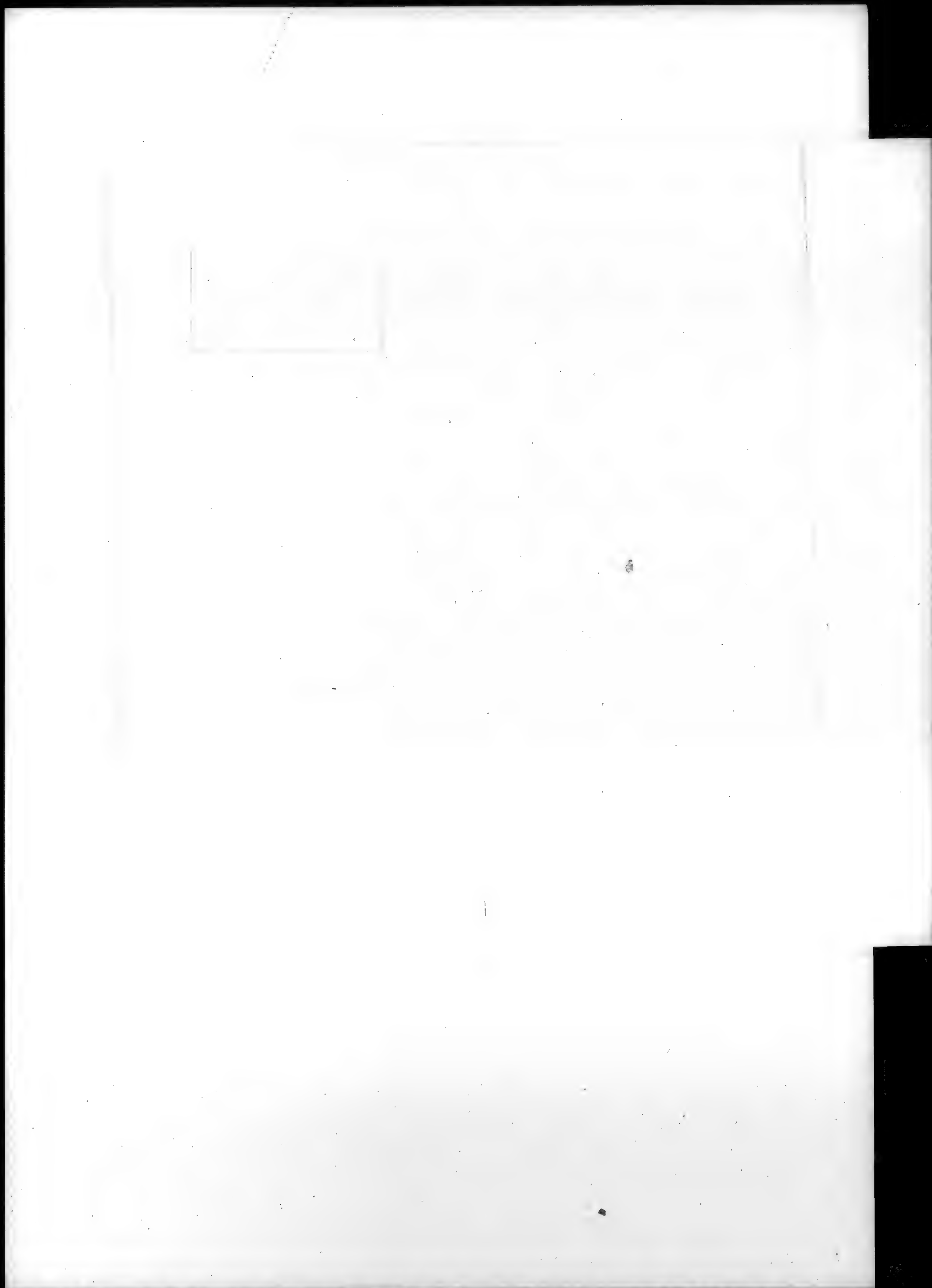
My commission expires

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W. H. H. H.
Black Birch Court

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be before a notary, etc.



Elizabethton, Tenn. August 19, 1907.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Sp. Com. Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

We herewith enclose to you the applications of William DeLoach, George Canada DeLoach, Mary Jane Fair, Will DeLoach, James Scoon DeLoach, and Samuel C. DeLoach, for participation in the fund of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians, and trust that you will file same immediately, and if there should be error to kindly let us know. It was impossible for claimants to show the Indian names of their grand parents, except of one Stephen Wallen who was a cherokee of the full blood. We telegraphed you to-day for 20 more blanks and trust that you can send them immediately.

We are Attorneys of the State and Federal Courts of this State and have been sworn in as regularly practicing Attorneys of the United States Courts, but have not been in the practice of pension claims, and if necessary please enlist us, and if it is proper and necessary please send us any necessary blanks that may be necessary for us to sign.

We thank you for the kindness in sending us the application blanks, and we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

Collier & Pate

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AUG 21 1907
NEW YORK

HARRY PEYTON
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
ROOMS 417, 418, 419, 420
BOND BUILDING 14TH AND N.Y. AVE.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

August 20, 1907.

Guion Miller, Esq.,
Ouray Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following applications
in the matter of the distribution of the Cherokee
fund.

John H. Waford,
John C. Waford,
Anna B. Bruce Dillon,
Forest M. Bruce,
Lee P. Reed,
Charley Reed,
Virgil W. Bruce,
Elizabeth Jane Bruce,
Mary Pearl Bennett,
John Bowlin Bennett.

Yours very truly,



CLARK COUNTY
EASTERN CHEROKEE
No. AUG 21 1907
No.

HARRY PEYTON
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
ROOMS 417, 418, 419, 420
BOND BUILDING 14TH AND N.Y. AVE.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

August 21, 1907.

Guion Miller, Esq.,
Curay Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following applications
in the matter of the distribution of the Cherokee fund:

James DeLoach,
Nettie Caif,
Elizabeth DeLoach,
Mattie W. Williams,
Elizabeth Treadaway.

Also a letter from John L. Snyder, which was
referred to Mr. Robeson and which he requests that I
refer to you.

Very truly yours,

Harry Peyton

0.30.17.

May 20, 1901.

Elizabeth Treassey,

Elizabethton, Tenn.

(Sister:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
circled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1838.

Did they ever live with the Cherokees or recognized
them as their relatives?

Did any of your immediate relatives ever share in a
voyage to the Eastern Cherokees? If so, give their names
and to whom and where they were sold.

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they
owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

/s/

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF BUREAU
MAY 15 1913.
A.C.

COLLINS & TIFTON
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
Washington, D. C.

May 27, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller, Sp. Com.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Your favor of May 20 instant just received, and in reply will say that so far as we have been able to ascertain, Stephen Wallen or Walden, as it was written both ways, was alive in 1848. He at that time somewhere between 65 and 70 years of age, and lived at some point in Powell's Valley, or near Wallen's ridge, which was a portion of the original home of the Cherokee tribe of Indians. This tribe occupied portions of western North Carolina, North Georgia and part of lower East Tennessee. Wallen or Walden, was a member of that tribe, but we have no evidence available at present of his having been enrolled, as late as 1851, and perhaps at that time he was not living. His daughter, Phoebe Walden or Wallen intermarried with John DeLoach, and moved to Sullivan County, Tennessee, where she lived for a number of years and then located in Carter County where she lived at the time of her death. It is understood that Stephen Wallen or Walden did live with and was recognized as a member of the Cherokee tribe of Indians. It is understood that the name Wallen or Walden was an English or adopted name, and that he had an Indian name, but it is not known what that was.

We can establish conclusively by proof: (1) That Stephen Wallen who was a full blooded Indian did live with said tribe of Indians and that his daughter, Phoebe Wallen intermarried with John DeLoach. (2) Also prove the relationship of myself to Phoebe Wallen DeLoach.

Further answering your letter, beg to say that Wallen nor any one under and through ^{whom} I claim never did receive or share in any payment to the Cherokee Indians. None of those under whom I claim were ever

Collins & Tipton
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE

slaves.

I would be glad to answer any further inquiry that you may
make. ^a When nor any of those under whom I claim never did affiliate with
or join any other tribe of indians or receive any sum or sums from the
government.

Yours very truly,

Eliza^{her} Treadway
wmt,

Attest
Jnost Tipton

Hwt

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| | |
|------|-------|
| DATE | _____ |
| NAME | _____ |
| AGE | _____ |
| SEX | _____ |

COLLINS & TIPTON
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE

Jyly 25, 1908'

Mr. Fred Baker,
Bristol, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

As promised you in Johnson City last Tuesday, I herewith
send you list of applicants for part of Cherokee fund who we rep-
resent who claim under and through the same ancestor, Stephen Wal-
len:

Samuel C. DeLoach ✓
Lucy Fair ✓
Rola " ✓
Julia Chambers ✓
V.B. Bowers ✓
David DeLoach ✓
Sam DeLoach ✓
Jane Fair ✓
Jas. Spoon DeLoach ✓
William DeLoach ✓
Will DeLoach ✓
Janala DeLoach ✓
Bob DeLoach ✓
Addie Hardin ✓
Alf Edmonson 38474 ✓
Rebecca Loveless ✓
Ora Scalf ✓
Mary Heaton ✓
Bessie Bowling ✓
Alfred Peaks 38472 ✓
Reece Bowers ✓
Lillie Henry ✓
Robert Bowers ✓
Maggie Treadway ✓
Bessie Bowers ✓
Henry DeLoach ✓
Angeline DeLoach ✓
John DeLoach ✓
~~Jas. Treadway~~ ✓
Margaret Treadway ✓

(Mary Williams ✓
Jane DeLoach ✓
William DeLoach ✓
Andrew J. Bowers ✓
Rebecca Bowers ✓
Lucy Smith ✓
Rebecca Smith ✓
Eliza Bowers ✓
Ann Bowers ✓

Yours Truly,

Collins & Tipton

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C. C. COLLINS

JNO. H. TIPTON

Collins & Tipton
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE

Aug. 19, 08.

Hon. Simon Miller
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I promised Mr. Baker
to write him at Bristol giving
him some data, but the letter
did not reach him, and I enclose
same to ~~him~~ you to deliver to
him.

Yours Truly
J. H. Tipton

No. 35-208-

Action: *Revised*

Name *John C. ...* and *...* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

...

35208

No. 5526-55211

Name

With No. 5527

Remarks:

1. 5526-55211
2. 5527

No. 27071

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Harry M. Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 21 1907
No.

W. H. Robinson

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Hellen M. Williams

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Olizaboston

3. County:

Carlin

4. State:

Minnesota

5. How old are you?

26

Born

July 27, 1881

6. Where were you born?

Carlin County, Minn.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Sam Williams

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>27 22 21</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Marhan Deloach

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Deloach

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Elizabeth Brandt

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Minnesota

Mother:

Carlin County, Minn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Curtis County, Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1901

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: M.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Mary Deloach | | |
| (2) | Jane Deloach | | |
| (3) | Henry Deloach | | |
| (4) | David Deloach | | |
| (5) | Wm Deloach | | |
| (6) | Sam Deloach | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Imp. Deloach | Jackson Grindstaff |
| Phoebe Deloach | Malinda Grindstaff |

18. Where were they born? Curtis Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|----------------|
| (1) | Henry Deloach | Phoebe Deloach |
| (2) | Mary Deloach | John Deloach |
| (3) | Thomas | Mary Deloach |
| (4) | Nathan | |
| (5) | Nancy | |
| (6) | Melinda | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 220

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This claim is given by descent from great-grandfather Stephen Walden a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. *Walter H. Fletcher*

(Signature)

Walter H. Fletcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

J. F. Gindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. F. Gindstaff

and

A. C. Collins

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Walter H. Fletcher*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Gindstaff

A. C. Collins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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J. F. Gindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court

Notary Public.

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No. 38-107

Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

35209

No. 33200

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

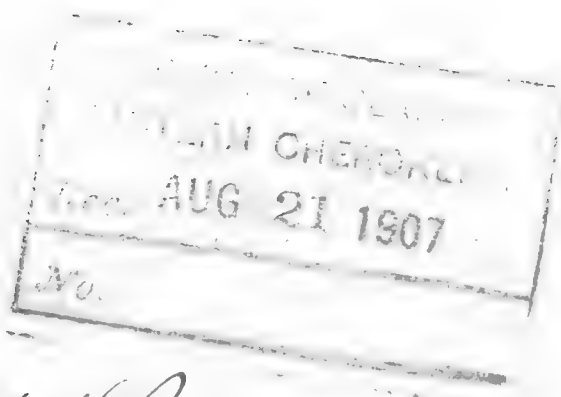
APPLICATION

OF

Nellie Seay

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



A. H. Ruben
Atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Miller Seay

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Elizabethtown

3. County: Carter

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 42

Born 1865

6. Where were you born? Carter County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Seay 45

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Walter Seay</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>1888</u> |
| (2) | <u>Bertie</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Thomas Deloach

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lina Deloach

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lina Oliver

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carter County Tenn

Mother: do

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Quaker County Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1888

Mother: 1906

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Jennie Deloach | | |
| (2) | Mary " Sam. Deloach | | |
| (3) | William " Emeline " | | |
| (4) | Geo. W. " Elizabeth " | | |
| (5) | Jane " | | |
| (6) | Ann " | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Jay Deloach | Geo. Allin |
| Phoebe Deloach | Allin |

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|--------------|
| (1) | Susan Deloach | Mary Deloach |
| (2) | Martha " | Jennie " |
| (3) | Nathan " | |
| (4) | Nancy " | |
| (5) | Martha " | |
| (6) | Phoebe " | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This claim is filed by descent from
Stephen Madden great grandfather
a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Nellie K. Caff (Signature) 19 day of August 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

J. R. Prindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. R. Prindstaff
and W. H. Jordan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Nellie K. Caff
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and
14 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. R. Prindstaff
W. H. Jordan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. R. Prindstaff Clerk
Circuit Court Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 16 1909
No. 25209

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 17 1909
No. 35209

App. No. 35209.

November 17, 1909.

Nettie Searf,
Elizabethton,
Tennessee.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of November 15, 1909, you are advised that your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund has been reported by me as rejected, and you were so notified on June 10, 1909.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 35 110

Action: Recited

Name:

Wm. Smith and children.

Residence:

Wm. Smith, Jr.

Reasons:

Wm. Smith, Jr. came on the road.

35210

No. 15310

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

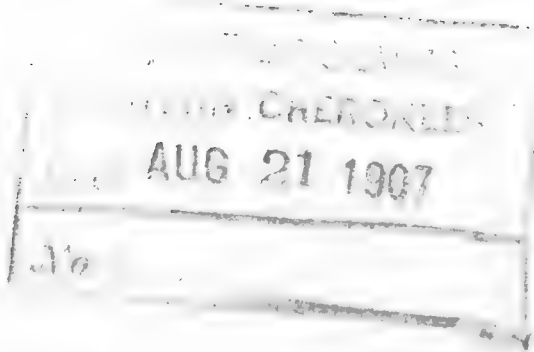
APPLICATION

OF

James Delvach

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W H Robinson,
att'y

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James DeLoach

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Oliza Station

3. County: Carter

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 45

Born 1863

6. Where were you born? Carter County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma DeLoach age 43

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | <u>John</u> | <u>19</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Nathan</u> | <u>17</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Nancy</u> | <u>14</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Walter</u> | <u>12</u> | |
| (5) | <u>William</u> | <u>6</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Lula</u> | <u>5</u> | |
| | <u>Emma</u> | <u>2</u> | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Ruben Bowen

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Phoebe DeLoach

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Phoebe DeLoach

12. Where were they born?

Father: Carter County Tenn

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Center County Penn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown

Mother: 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Angelina</u> | <u>1868</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Elizabeth</u> | <u>1852</u> | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>W. B. Bowers</u> | <u>John Delvach</u> |
| <u>Abigail Bowers</u> | <u>Phoebe Delvach</u> |

18. Where were they born? Phoebe Delvach Sullivan Co Penn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Center Co Penn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Nathan Delvach</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Horace Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>John Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Susan Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>Nancy Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>Mary Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Abelinda Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Mary Delvach</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This claim is for descent from Great Grandfather on Mother's side, whose name was Stephen Hudson as "Mushu" Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

James Delvach

(Signature)

James Delvach
19 day of August 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

J. F. Pinastoff
Beck Civil Court Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and W. J. Campbell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Delvach

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Campbell
W. J. Campbell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

J. F. Pinastoff
Beck Civil Court Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 21 1909
No.

Elizabeth J. J. J.

May 17 1909

Dear W. F. Brown

Washington D. C.

Will you do me the favor to
see Williams and James appear
on the Rools in the distribution
of the Cherokee Indian money
they have commenced to receive
the names we are after to
and would like to know about
the matter if we are not
on the Rools we will have
a chance to introduce more
people so will be happy
to hear from you it will be
an ally for both of

Trouble We Hate to Bother you.
But Have Been Helping you
for several years and will
certainly help you in the future
if I should meet up
Hope to hear from you soon

Very Respect
35210
Jas de la Cruz
35207 Oliguier Martin

Wish you would be
at our reunion soon

Love to Mr. Jordan

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 21 1909

No. 35210

SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

JAMES A. TAVNEY, MINN. CHAIRMAN.
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MARCELLUS C. SHIELD, }

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D.C.,

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January 20, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Court of Claims, City.

My dear Sir:

I herewith hand you a letter which explains itself.
I wish you would write direct to Mr. Deloach and give him
whatever information you may have.

Very truly yours,

W. A. P. [Signature]

Dep. No. 35217.

January 21, 1909.

James Deloach,

c/o W. H. Jordan,

Elizabethton, Tennessee.

Sir:

Your letter of January 14, 1909, addressed to the Honorable W. H. Brownlow, has been referred to this office for reply.

Replying to your inquiry relative to the Eastern Cherokee enrollment you are advised that I am making every effort to complete the enrollment so that I may make my report to the Court of Claims during the month of May next.

The Court will then no doubt allow a reasonable time for the filing of exceptions to my report, and until these exceptions are considered and disposed of, and the roll finally approved by the Court, no money can be distributed.

Until I make my report to the Court I do not feel at liberty to announce any decision in regard to any particular case.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35111

Action: *Noted*

Name: *John and 1* children.

Residence: *St. Paul*

Reasons:

He has been in the army for some time.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

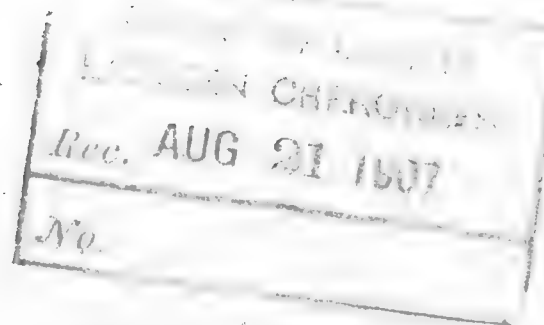
APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth DeLoach

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Roberson
Atty

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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Elizabeth Deloach

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Elizabethton Tenn

3. County: Wash

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 55

Born 1852

6. Where were you born? Wash County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs Deloach 60

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Robert Deloach</u> | <u>30</u> | <u>1877</u> |
| (2) | <u>Curry</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Robt White

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Phoebe Deloach

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Phoebe Deloach

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wash Co Tenn

Mother: Dallam County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wash County Tenn

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: unknown

Mother: 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Angeline</u> | <u>1868</u> | |
| | <u>James</u> | | |
| (2) | | <u>1863</u> | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Deloach
Phoebe Deloach

18. Where were they born? Phoebe Deloach Sullivan Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Nathan Deloach</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>James Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>John Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Susan Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>Nancy Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>Maria Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Mattie Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Mar Deloach</u> | <u>"</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: M-V

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This claim is by descent from Great Grandfather
Stephen Warden a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

attest J R Pluchie
J R Burrows

(Signature)

Elizabeth Deloach
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

J F Gimrestaff Clerk Circuit Court
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J R Pluchie

and

J R Burrows

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Elizabeth Deloach

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

J R Pluchie
J R Burrows

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190

J F Gimrestaff Clerk
Circuit Court
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35212.

Action: Reject

Name Maudie Washburn and X children. Residence: Homer, La.

Reasons:

Check of 8395 and claims through the
same source.

35212

No. 657

Name John J. ...

With No. 2-37

Remarks :

No. 10012

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mandie Washburn.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living at that time
Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living
Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Crarity Strickland</u> | <u>1884</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| | <u>Viola Owens</u> | <u>1887</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lester Washburn</u> | <u>1889</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Oscar Washburn</u> | <u>1892</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>Lizzie Washburn</u> | <u>1894</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Marnie Washburn</u> | <u>1896</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Charles Washburn</u> | <u>1907</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| <u>Frank Perkins</u> | <u>Alfred Crow</u> |
| <u>Rachel Washburn</u> | <u>Cassie Crow</u> |
| <u>Axe</u> | <u>Water</u> |

18. Where were they born? Spartanburg S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dr. Hahersham
Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Frances Washburn</u> | <u>Wheatley Ark.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Roseau Washburn</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>Jane Washburn</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>Clark Washburn</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>Frank Crow</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>Martha Scott</u> | <u>Baldwin Co. R.F.D. 1</u> |
| | <u>William Crow</u> | <u>"</u> |
| | <u>Alfred Crow</u> | <u>Homer Ga.</u> |
| | <u>Mandy Crow</u> | <u>Wula Ga.</u> |
| | <u>Lucy Cox</u> | <u>"</u> |

Mary Crow Horner Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Bird Washburn
Frank Perkins Racket Washburn
Alfred Crow and Cassie Crow.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Maudie Washburn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug. 1907.

A. A. White
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 31st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. M. McDonald

and

Mrs E. I. White

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Maudie Washburn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 24 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person She represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. McDonald

Mrs E. I. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

March 31st

, 1908.

A. A. White

Notary Public.

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My dear mother
I have just received
your letter of the 10th
and am very glad to hear
from you. I am well and
hope this finds you the same.
I am writing you a few lines
to let you know I am still
alive and well.
I am your affectionate son
John Smith

No. 35213 Action: Reject
Name Matilda Villanad children. Residence: Boyley Ark.
Reasons: (sent of 17506.

35213

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Name _____

With No...

Remarks :

35211

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

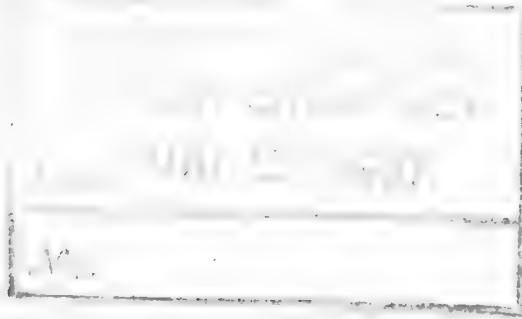
APPLICATION

OF

Matilda P. Villines

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Matilda L Villines
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Boxley
3. County: Newton
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 66 Born March 1841
6. Where were you born? Huntsville Arkansas
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Villines
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee's
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lucy S Henderson</u> | <u>46</u> | <u>Sept 1860</u> |
| (2) | <u>Jas L Villines</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>Sept 1862</u> |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Samuel Whitley
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Lucy Whitley
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Lucy Macon

12. Where were they born?
Father: Virginia
Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Newlon Co Arkansas

Mother: Newlon Co Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 11 1864

Mother: Feb 24 1860

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|------------|-------|
| (1) | Martha Whorlon | Sept 1818 | |
| | Rachel Smith | May 1822 | |
| (2) | Jessie M Whiteley | March 1824 | |
| (3) | Jas T Whiteley | Aug 1825 | |
| (4) | Andrew J Whiteley | March 1827 | |
| | George W Whiteley | Feb 1829 | |
| (5) | Isaac J Whiteley | 1836 | |
| (6) | Phely J Casey | 1833 | |
| | Lucy Murphy | 1838 | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Joseph Whiteley | Jessie Mairnord |
| Sallie Whiteley | Martha Mairnord |
| (Mrs L. S. Slapleton) | Mrs Martha Lawrence |

18. Where were they born? Joseph Whiteley in England. Jessie Mairnord in ^{Tami} N. H.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|-------|
| (1) | _____ |
| (2) | _____ |
| (3) | _____ |
| (4) | _____ |
| (5) | _____ |
| (6) | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ma.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Matilda Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

W. C. [Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1907 / 1, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me _____
and _____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with _____
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known _____ for _____ years and
_____ years, respectively, and know _____ to be the identical person _____ represents
_____ to be, and that the statements made by _____ are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in _____ claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1907 / 1, 190 .
Notary Public.

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No. 35214.

Action: *Repet.*

Name

Maggie Brown

and

x

children.

Residence:

Ellisville, Miss.

Reasons:

Listed to #33874.

61356

No. 55214

Name M. J. ...

With No. 35812

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Maggie Brown

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— Maggie Browne
English name: Maggie Browne
Indian name: Stucklean
2. Residence: Clematis Miss
3. Town and post office: Clematis
4. County: Jones
5. State: Mississippi
6. Date and place of birth: Green Co Miss 1857
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my Great Grandfather Sen Stucklean who is one of the Parties to the treaty of 1835-36-1857
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: McC Brown 24 yrs
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Vatman & Susby
Indian name: Stucklean
Mother—English name: Mary Ann Emily Susby
Indian name: Stucklean
Maiden name: Mary Ann Emily Jones
11. Where were they born?
Father: Wayne Co Miss
Mother: Green Co Miss
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Wayne Co Miss
Mother: Unknown
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: 1888 Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Leonard J. Bushy | 1877 | |
| (2) | John Bushy | 1880 | |
| (3) | Frederic M. Bushy | 1884 | |
| (4) | Nancy Bonture | 1882 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Valthan Bushy | Bono |
| Strickland | |

17. Where were they born? Wayne co or unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wayne co Miss

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

| | | | |
|-----|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | English name: Harriet Davis Bonture date unknown | Indian name: Strickland | Residence: residence unknown |
| (2) | English name: Elizabeth Smith | Indian name: Strickland | Residence: unknown |
| (3) | English name: Mary Cochran | Indian name: Strickland | Residence: deceased date unknown |
| (4) | English name: Nancy Henderson | Indian name: Strickland | Residence: Wayne co Miss |
| (5) | English name: Rebecca Mills | Indian name: Strickland | Residence: Wayne co Miss |

Leonard Bushy
John Bushy
Frederic Bushy
Nancy Bonture

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My Father's*

Name was Nathan S. Burby a Son
of John Burby who was a daughter of
Sam Strickland who was a partner to
the treaty of 1835-6 and 67

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I had no uncle Sam Strickland
who made application but died
before he received it.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

Maggie Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Aug.*, 190*8*

My commission expires

on

, 190*8*

J. A. Timmer

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. S. Lundy* and
E. H. Woodham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Maggie Brown*, who makes the
foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *2* years and *2* years,
respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and
that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and
they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

S. S. Lundy

E. H. Woodham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *17* day of *Aug.*, 190*8*

My commission expires

on

, 190*8*

J. A. Timmer

Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to
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WASHINGTON, D. C.



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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

David Miller
Guion Miller
Miller

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 3527, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ~~ordered~~ ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35215.

Action: Rejected.

Name: William J. Shelton and ☒ children. Residence: Cartersville, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of #34235 and claims through the same source.

35215

No.

Name _____

With No.

Remarks:

No. 35215

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

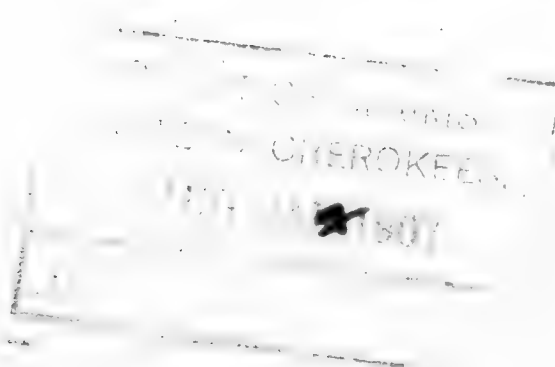
APPLICATION

OF

Wm. J. Shelton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: William Jackson Shelton
Indian name: Mcquire
2. Residence and post office: Porto Rico Mo. P.O. Cartersville
3. County: Jasper
4. State: Missouri
5. How old are you? 51 Born 1856
6. Where were you born? Tennessee
7. Are you married? no
8. Name and age of wife or husband: have none
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>have none</u> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Shelton
Indian name: Mcquire
Mother—English name: Anna Shelton
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Anna Beckwith

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina
Mother: Was Born near Hiwassee River Meigs Co
Tennessee March 11th 1827.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

I do not know supposed to be in Arkansas

Mother:

Athens Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Died at Sylamore Arkansas in 1861 or 62.

Mother:

Died Porto Rico Mo 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1)

NAME.

Luzia Treace

BORN.

52

DIED.

Living Joplin Mo

(2)

Thomas Henry Shelton

48

~~Living Joplin Mo~~
partially Mo

(3)

Mary E Treace

45

Living Joplin Mo

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Shelton

Nancy Shelton

maiden name Nancy McGuire

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Beckett

Betty Beckett

Betty Brumfield

18. Where were they born? Via and North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Shelton were head grand father and mother Beckett
I do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

I cannot say I was brought West when about 2 years old to ask where father died when I was very young and I know nothing only what I have heard other people say my great grand father came to Mo from North Carolina about 1835 but I can't locate him my gran father and mother William Shelton and Nancy McGuire left North Carolina about same time 1835, 36 but both died prior to 1857 I think in Tennessee

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I cannot give the given

name of great gran father Shelton nor the
maiden name of great gran father Mathy
Shelton

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. J. Jackson Shelton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug, 1907.

H. W. Sterling
Notary Public.

My commission expires

_____, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Al Hall

and

Roe Smith

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William Jackson Shelton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known _____ for 7 years and

3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Al Hall
Roe Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190 H. W. Sterling
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35216.

Action: Rejected.

Name Keetless Murray and x children. Residence: Myrtle, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of #35206 and claims through the same source.

35216

No. 15216-55517

Name.....

With No. 15216-55517

Remarks:

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35210
No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

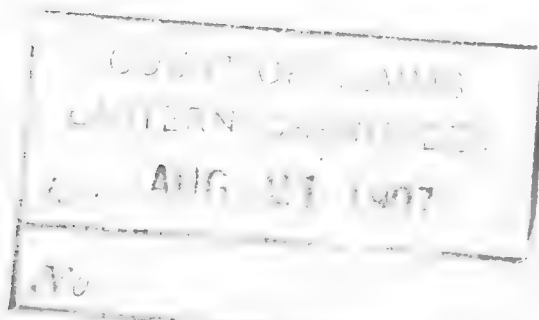
APPLICATION

OF

W. H. Reberon
W. H. Reberon

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Reberon
W. H. Reberon atty

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Keethess Murray

Indian name: Murray

2. Residence and post office: Myrtle Missouri

3. County: Oregon

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 64 Born 1844

6. Where were you born? Oregon Co Mo

7. Are you married? Widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Catharine Murray

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees (Eastern)

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Johnny J. Laamy</u> | <u>34</u> | <u>Aug 15 1873</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Nicholas Murray

Indian name: Murray

Mother—English name: Jennie Murray

Indian name: Jennie

Maiden name: Jennie Glannery

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Neither Not Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July the 10 1861

Mother: Jan 16 1845

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: My father John C Murray lived with his people the Cherokee Indians from 1845 to 1849

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|--------------|----------------------|-------|--------------|
| (1) | J N Murray | 1850 | July 17 1875 |
| #35217 - (2) | Dempsey Murray | 1853 | Aug 28 |
| | Myrtle M | | |
| (3) | Folly Cypress | 1856 | May 10 |
| | Holmes Ark | | |
| (4) | Elizabeth Jane Bruce | 1858 | April 18 |
| | 3 Augusta Tenn | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Murray Betsey Murray
Betsey Murray

18. Where were they born? Murray County Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? were not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Stephen Murray | Residence unknown |
| (2) | Murray | |
| (3) | Sam Murray | " " |
| (4) | Murray | |
| (5) | Chloe Murray | " " |
| (6) | Murray | |

John Nicholas Murray Died July 10 1861
Residence at death Myrtle Mo

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Murray grandfather John Nicholas
Murray father Jane Murray mother
REMARKS. Indian name murray

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandfather married an Indian woman
daughter of a noted Indian was prominent
in the Indians Councils as handed down through
tradition

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. J. Robinson
W. J. Trimble

(Signature)

Reetless Murray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13th

day of

August

1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14th

1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. J. Robinson

and

W. J. Trimble

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Reetless Murray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for

30

years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person

he

represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Robinson

W. J. Trimble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13th

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14th

1907

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public.

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State of Missouri }
County Oregon } J. S.

E. H. Batts being duly sworn on his
oath says that he was well acquainted with
Nicholas Murray and know him
to be of Indian Blood and that he
acknowledged a tribal relation with
the Cherokee Indians by having
lived with them in their new pos-
session west of the Mississippi River
my age is 59 years being born in
1846
E. H. Batts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day
of May 1907
14th 1907
my commission will expire Sept
Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public

Myself and

August the 13 1907

State of Missouri
County of [unclear]

I [unclear] and
said that [unclear] Murrey or [unclear]
Laury is one of his children and
that the [unclear] born in family in the
year of 1870 and that [unclear]

Witness
[unclear] Kabiner
at [unclear]

[unclear] his
Kutley Murrey
mark

cribed and sworn to before
me this the 13 Day of August 1907
Commission Expires

Sept 14th 1907

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public

No. 35217.

Action: Rejected.

Name Demposy Murray and X children. Residence: Myrtle, Mo.

Reasons:

Brother of #35206 and claims through the same source.

35217

No. 35217

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

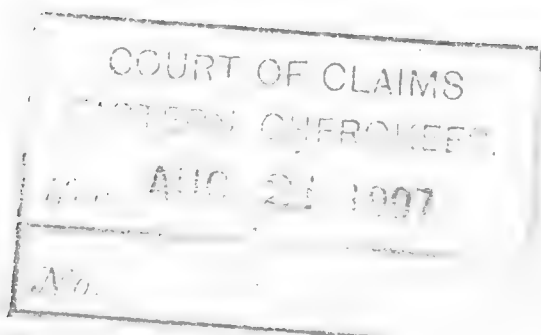
APPLICATION

OF

Hempsey Murray

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Reason

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Dempsey Murray

Indian name:

T. Murray

2. Residence and post office:

Myrtle Missouri

3. County:

Oregon

4. State:

Missouri

5. How old are you?

54

Born

Aug 28, 1853

6. Where were you born?

Oregon County Missouri

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Nancy Jane Murray Jan 21-1857

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee (Eastern)

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Nicholas Murray

Indian name:

Murray

Mother—English name:

Jane Murray

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Jane Parrick

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oregon Co Missouri

Mother: Oregon Co Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 10 1861

Mother: March 5 1861

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my father lived with his

people the Cherokees from 1844 to 1849

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|----------|-------------------------|-------|--------------|
| Half Bro | (1) Keetless Murray | 1843 | |
| | Murphy Mrs J | | |
| | (2) J. N. Murray | 1850 | July 17 1875 |
| | (3) Polly Copprell | 1856 | May 10 |
| | Kalshes Ark | | |
| | (4) Elizabeth Jan Bruce | 1858 | April 18 |
| | Augusta Kan | | |
| | (5) | | |
| | (6) | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Murray Betsey Murray
Betsey Murray

18. Where were they born? Murray County Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? were not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Stephen Murray | Residence unknown |
| (2) | Murray | |
| (3) | Ben Murray | " " |
| (4) | Murray | |
| (5) | Glenn Murray | " " |
| (6) | Murray | |

John Nicholas Murray died July 10 1861
Indian name Murray
Residence at death Murphree Co. Ga. in Mrs

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Murray grandfather John Nicholas
Murray father Jane Murray mother
Indian Non Murray

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my grandfather married an Indian woman
daughter of a noted Indian who was prominent
in the Indian councils as handed down through
tradition

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Gempsey Murray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 14th, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. J. Robinson

and

W. J. Trimble

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Gempsey Murray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Robinson
and W. J. Trimble

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 14th, 1907.

Joseph S. Whitehead
Notary Public.

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State of Missouri } 25
County of Oregon }

to J. Betty Bering Duchy sworn on his oath
says that he was well acquainted with
Charles Murray and knew him to be
of Indian blood and that he acknowledged
a relation with the Cherokee Indian
by having lived with them in their
own home or possession West of the
Mississippi River My age is 39 years
Bering married in 1846 E. J. B. L. C.

subscribed and sworn to before me this
The 17th Day of May 1907

My Term of Office Expires September
the 14 1907 Joseph S. Whiteland
Notary Public

No. 35218.
Name Avery C. ~~Camier~~ and 1 children. Residence: Elizabethton, Tenn.
Action: Reject.
Reasons:

Duplicate of # 30326.

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No. 35218

Name Amy C. Barron

With No. 30326

Remarks:

No. 3336

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

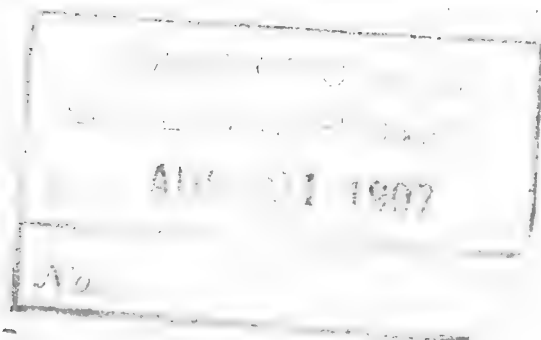
APPLICATION

OF

Avery Chapman Barrie

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Roberson
Atty

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Army Clingman Bawier

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Elizabethton Co.

3. County:

Carter

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

56

Born

March 30 1851

6. Where were you born?

Cadwell Co. N. C.

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Viola 18

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Nancy A</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>Oct 24 1876</i> |
| (2) | <i>Shenita B.</i> | <i>29</i> | <i>Feb 28 1878</i> |
| (3) | <i>Emma C.</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>May 27 1891</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Anthony K Bawier

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Nancy Bawier

Indian name:

none

Maiden name:

Nancy White

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Lincoln Co N. C.

Mother:

" " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Caldern Co N.C.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 1873.

Mother: 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Serilda Bannin</u> | <u>Dec 22 1848.</u> | |
| | <u>Elizabeth Ann Tum</u> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Hiram Payne</u> | <u>Reuben White</u> |
| <u>not known.</u> | <u>not known.</u> |

18. Where were they born? not known

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? not known

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>A K Bannin</u> | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

A. L. Bauer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190 _____.

J. P. Grindstaff Clerk
Winnetka Court Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. P. Grindstaff

and

J. P. Grindstaff

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

A. L. Bauer

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. P. Grindstaff

J. P. Grindstaff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires _____, 190 _____.

J. P. Grindstaff Clerk
Winnetka Court Notary Public.

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J. F. GRINDSTAFF
CLERK CIRCUIT COURT.
CARTER COUNTY, TENN.



TERMS CIRCUIT COURT
SECOND MONDAY IN
FEBRUARY, JUNE
AND OCTOBER.

ELIZABETHTON, TENN. Aug 17 1907

W. H. Robison

Dear Sir

Enclosed I send you application of A. C. Barrier. This applicant has heretofore made out an application and sent in through Atty. Mann of Bristol Tenn. But as he has never heard anything from it, he has requested me to refile it. You will understand this matter so that there will be no difficulty in regard to then being two applications from the same person.

Respectfully
J. R. Fletcher.

No. 35219

Action: Reflect

Name: Ruth Ann Miller and X children. Residence: Beigle, Tenn.

Reasons:

1. 11/11/35: 20.

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Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

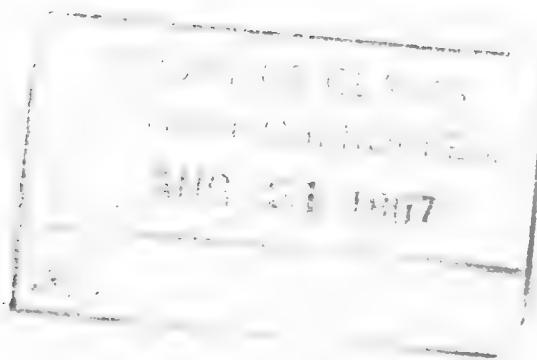
APPLICATION

OF

Ruth Ann Plummer

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Hakeson Atty

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ruth Ann Plummer

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Wardlaw, Tenn

3. County: Butler

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 51 Born 1854

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes John H. Plummer first husband died 1900 Second husband.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ephraim Plummer 26.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------|---------------------|
| (1) | James McGinnis Drum | 32 | Feb 22 1873 |
| (2) | Birney Gallegos Drum | 29 | July 15 1878 did |
| (3) | Ernest Elmer Drum | 23 | Feb 17 1883 17 1900 |
| (4) | Lawrence Edward Drum | 22 | May 17 1883 |
| (5) | Frank Lewis Drum | 25 | March 11 1882 |
| (6) | George Thompson Drum | 27 | Aug 11 1880 |

Birney Gallegos has one child Johnnie McGinnis

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Smithman

Indian name: McCurley

Mother—English name: Ruth Ann Smithman

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: McCurley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Green Co. Illinois

Mother: Green Co. Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 7 1884

Mother: Feb 24 1854

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Rebecca Jane Varnum | 1842 | |
| (2) | Mary Elizabeth Varnum | 1844 | |
| (3) | Henry Varnum | 1846 | 1873 |
| (4) | William Jefferson Varnum | 1848 | 1883 |
| (5) | Jesse Varnum | 1850 | |
| (6) | Narah Cordelia Varnum | 1852 | 1896 |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|------------------|
| John Varnum | Joseph W. Varnum |
| Lucas Varnum | Abner W. Varnum |

18. Where were they born? Green Co. Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Green Co. Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|------|--------------------------|--|
| (1) | Rebecca Varnum | |
| (2) | Mary Elizabeth Varnum | |
| (3) | Henry Varnum | |
| (4) | William Jefferson Varnum | |
| (5) | Jesse Varnum | |
| (6) | Narah Cordelia Varnum | |
| (7) | John Varnum | |
| (8) | Mary Varnum | |
| (9) | Lucas Varnum | |
| (10) | Abner Varnum | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: James Smitherman father.
Joseph McCurley Grand father.
Rebecca McCurley Grand mother.
Ruth Ann McCurley mother.
James Smitherman father.
Jessie Smitherman mother.
Ind. name McCurley.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ruth Ann Plummer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 26 1911

C. J. Decker
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Hamilton
and Ira J. Nichols, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Ruth Ann Plummer
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Hamilton
Ira J. Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 12

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C. J. Decker
Notary Public.

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June 4, 1938.

Mr. J. E. Ford,
Chicago, Ill.

Sir:

Enclosed is your application for membership
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund. Please give the date
of your mother's birth. Please give the date, as
well as month and day, of your mother's death.
Please state where she was born. Please state where she
resided from 1924-1927.

Thank you very much for your letter. Please
state where you resided from 1924-1927. Please state
where you resided from 1927-1928. Please state where you
resided from 1928-1929. Please state where you resided from
1929-1930. Please state where you resided from 1930-1931.

Please indicate carefully and clearly your reasons
for thinking that you are an Eastern Cherokee by blood.

Very truly yours,

Walter H. H. H. H.

W/H

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 23 1908
No. 35207

Douglas Kaus
June 16-08
Special Commissioner
Washington D. C.

Sir : In answer to the questions
you sent me.

My Mother was born in 1847

Grandmother was born about 1822
in Tennessee. She came from
Tennessee with her people at the time
they was moved from that state

Great Grand Mother McKinney was
born in Tennessee

My reasons for believing I am
an Eastern Cherokee by blood is that
of older people claim to belong
to that tribe

Very Truly Yours
L.P. Reed

No. 7588

Action: Reject

Name: John R. Foran and 2 children. Residence: Augusta, Maine.

Reasons: ...

35220

No. 35220

Name: J. H. Brown

With No. 35200

Remarks:

No. 35920

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

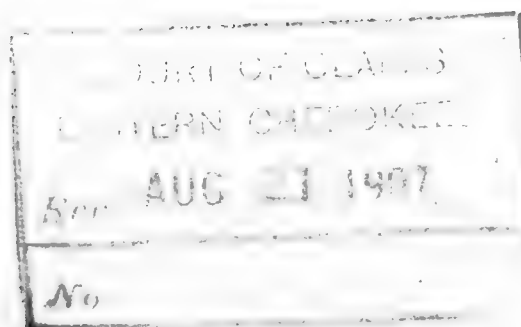
APPLICATION

OF

Leuzs Dow Marshall.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



A. H. Robinson

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Lorenzo Elow Darnell

English name: _____

Indian name: McCurlley

2. Residence and post office: Augusta

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 18 Born 1889

6. Where were you born? Kansas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: William Darnall

Indian name: McCurlley

Mother—English name: Lena Darnall

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lena Glover

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kansas

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1894

Mother: 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Joseph John Darnall</u> | <u>Samuel Glover</u> |
| <u>Rebecca Jane Darnall</u> | <u>— Glover</u> |
| <u>Indian name D. C. Carey</u> | ..... |

18. Where were they born? Father - Illinois mother —

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) <u>William Darnall</u> | ..... |
| (2) <u>Judson Darnall</u> | <u>Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.</u> |
| (3) <u>Marion Darnall</u> | <u>Independence, Mo.</u> |
| (4) <u>Eda Darnall</u> | <u>Spokane Washington</u> |
| (5) <u>Robert Darnall</u> | <u>Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.</u> |
| (6) ..... | ..... |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great Grand Father James Smithman
Gr. Grand Father Joseph T. C. Curley
Grand Mother Rebecca M. C. Curley Grand Mother Ruth Ann Smithman
Grand Father Jesse Smithman
Grand Mother Mary Smithman Indian name M. C. Curley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lorenzo Dow Darnall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

Cora Rome
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo. H. Campfield
and L. Harley Bline, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lorenzo Dow Darnall
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and
9 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. H. Campfield
L. Harley Bline

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 1st, 1908. Cora Rome
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35221

Action: *Reject*

Name *David L. Green* and *X* children. Residence *Montreal, N.C.*

Reasons: *Question not on record. Has not established genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.*

Misc. Test. P. 172, 22-23

35221

No. 35-22

Name David L. Green

With No. ...

Remarks:

not on rolls

No. 35223

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

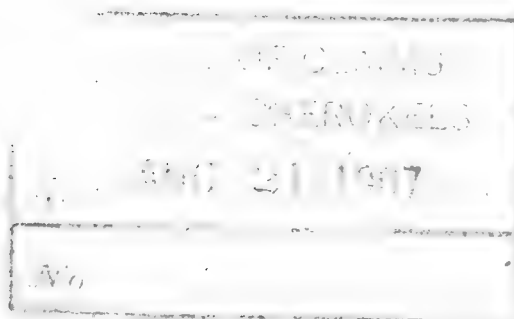
APPLICATION

OF

David L Green

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



M. H. Roberson,
1525 E. Attorney

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Daniel L Green

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Montvale

3. County: Transylvania

4. State: NC

5. How old are you? 34 Born 1873

6. Where were you born? Transylvania NC

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Susan Green

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John J Green

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Green

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Fisher

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County NC

Mother: Spartanburg County SC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Transylvania County NC
Mother: Transylvania County NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1898
Mother: 1856

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No Sir

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Brelyn Green</u> | <u>1845</u> | |
| | <u>Carline Green</u> | <u>1846</u> | |
| (2) | <u>William Green</u> | <u>1844</u> | |
| | <u>James Green</u> | <u>1849</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Tom Green</u> | <u>1851</u> | |
| | <u>George Green</u> | <u>1852</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Sayha Green</u> | <u>1853</u> | |
| | <u>Ben Green</u> | <u>1856</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Isaac Green</u> | <u>1857</u> | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Henry Green
Sarah Green

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Samie Fisher
Darcus Fisher

18. Where were they born? Transylvania County NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Yolk Co. NC

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Beat Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |
| (2) | <u>Thamen Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |
| (3) | <u>Bain Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |
| (4) | <u>Spide Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |
| (5) | <u>Sarge Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |
| (6) | <u>Gully Green</u> | <u>Yolk Co. NC</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no Sir

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John Green Father
Henry Green Grand Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Grand mother Sarah Green one fourth
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) David Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug 1907.

W. H. G. Green
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 30, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. G. Green
and L. E. Butler, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with David Green
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and
him years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person that represents
him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. E. Butler

W. H. G. Green
L. E. Butler
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Aug 30, 1907. W. H. G. Green
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 58231.

May 20, 1908.

David L. Green,
Montvale, N.C.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1881.

Why were your grandparents never enrolled with the
Eastern Cherokees?

Did your parent ever live with the Eastern Cherokees
as recognized members of their tribe?

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned by
white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

/s/ A.L.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 28 1908
No.

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Hon. Gen. Miller

Sp. Comm.

Washington
D.C.

My dear Sir

Charles Horne -

Charles's Father was

Brother to my Grand-

Mother and was invol-

ved. My parents lived close

to him all their life

Very yours

D. L. Green

Montreal

QC

May 24th

1908

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| |
|------------------------|
| U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE |
| BUREAU OF CHEROKEES. |
| REC'D JUL 1 1908 |
| No. 2 5 231 |

Hon Guion Miller
 Special Com: of the
 Eastern Cherokees
 Washington D.C.

My dear Sir

There was a mistake ^{made}
 in my former letter.

It stands thus. My Grand
 Mother and Charley Hornbuckle
 are brother and sister

My grandfather stole my
 grandmother (Charley Hornbuckle
 sister, Sallie Hornbuckle)

When she was 13 or 14 years old
 and married her

Am James M. M.

D. L. Green

Montreat

N.C. -

June 27th
 1905

27.

State of NC Transylvania
County Perpetrally appeared before
me John McCall and R. E. Smith
and being duly sworn said
that they are well acquainted with
J. H. Green and has known him from
a child and knows him to be a son
of John H. Green and knows John H.
Green to be a son of Henry Green
and Sallie Green her maiden name to
be Sallie Horn Buckel one of the
Eastern Cherokee Indians and has always
heard John H. Green say he was half Blood
Eastern Cherokee Indian and we further
state that we believe John H. Green to
be Indian from his natural speech
appearance and habit and was always
recognized by the People as such
and has seen him in company with
Charley Hornbuckle
one of Eastern Cherokee
Indians

Sworn too and Subscribed before
me this the 18 day of July
1908

J. C. McCall

J. P. of said

He said my grandmother was a full blooded Indian, and that would throw in half Indian. ~~xxxxxx~~ My grandmother's name was Fannie Hornbuckle before she was married. When my grandfather married her, I suppose she was living in Buncombe Co. He ran away with her to Putnam Co., N. C. and lived there for a long while. I guess he was keeping ~~xxxxxx~~ out of the way of the Indians then. My father lived and hunted all around these mountains with the Indians. He camped and hunted with them. He owned some land right near here. They came to see him in this country. (The Indians) ~~xxx~~ My grandmother did not have any Indian name but Hornbuckle as I know of. My father did not have any Indian name as I know of. My father could talk Cherokee some. I have been with the tribe some all through here. I can't talk Cherokee like they say it. Isaac Greer, my brother, he lives in N. C. I suppose put in an application.

David L. Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Lake Toxaway, N. C. this 20th day of July, 1908.

C.H.A.
Notary Public,
U. S. Court of Claims

Misc.

Testimony in case of David L. Green 35221

William Aiken being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
My name is William Aiken. I am 85 years old. My post-office is Logback Valley, N.C. I know David L. Green. I knew his father, and I first knew him somewhere about 1835-36 and the early forties. He owned some land up here on the Foxway River, and had a house up there. I think he had a little farm there. He principally hunted. He lived here with the white people. He lived more with the white people because there were more white people here then. The Indians were driven away around the time he came here. I cannot say whether before or after he came here. There weren't many Indians around here when his father was here. I only know that he had Indian blood because he claimed to have it, and because he looked something like an Indian. This is all I know about his having Indian blood.

William Aiken

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 1908
at Lake Toxaway, N. C.

CHB
Agent to Special Commission
U. S. Court of Claims

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rev. DEC. 16 1908
No. 35221

W. C. H. Y.

DEC 16 1908

Montvale

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Dec the 14th 1908

Mr Grim Miller

Special Comm. of eastern
Cherokees will you please
be so kind as to hand
this to Charles H. Bradley
you please write and tell
me whether my testimony
was any good or not
my grand mother Fisher
was born in Spartanburg
Co. S.C. my grand mother
Green talked Cherokee
but ~~she~~ my grand father

did not like that and
wanted her to talk
in English please answer
this letter at once
with best wishes

Yours truly

D. L. Green

Montvale

N. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Recd. JUN 9 1909
No. 35221

notice
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Montreal

June 14 1908

Mr. Guyon Miller
Special Commissioner
I haven't heard any thing
from the Eastern Cherokee
Indian Enrollment since
you wrote me December
1908 if my application
has been finally acted upon
Please let me know
it is yours truly

D L Green

No. 35222

Action:

Reject

Name William H. Rudy and X children. Residence: Augusta, Kansas.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

Wise. Test. P. 2025

35222

No. 35222

Name *Wm H. Rudy.*

With No. *4*

Remarks: 35223, 36775; 76,

77; 78, 79, 36820, 37618,

38147, 38148,

~~*Wm H. Rudy.*~~

Little

not on roll

Field Kansas

No. 13900

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

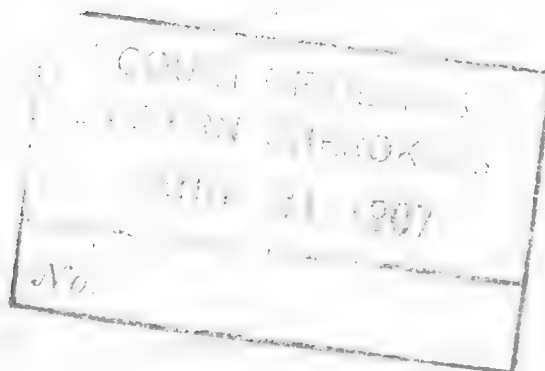
APPLICATION

OF

William Harmon Rudy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Rudy

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 26 1902

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Mary Linda Wolfe | Sept. 167 | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>John F. Wolfe</u> | <u>William Lawrence</u> |
| <u>John F. Wolfe</u> | <u>William Lawrence</u> |
| <u>John F. Wolfe</u> | <u>William Lawrence</u> |

18. Where were they born? John F. Wolfe, Grand Island, Iowa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Louisa Jane Holland (B.) | Donna - Decatur |
| (2) | Arthur Lee Wolfe | Angela Han |
| (3) | John F. Wolfe | West Minister Ohio |
| (4) | William Lee Wolfe | Ohio |
| (5) | William Lee Wolfe | Ohio |
| (6) | Louisa Jane Wolfe | Donna - Decatur |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

English Father John Ford G. Y. Father Levi Gooden
Mother Susan Ford G. Y. Mother Sarah Gooden
Indian name Ford G. Y. Father William Gooden

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Harmon Rudy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

Cora Norma

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 14th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me C. C. Smith

and Roy N. Clark, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William Harmon Rudy

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and

23 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Smith

Roy N. Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 14th, 1908.

Cora Norma

Notary Public.

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No. 31 .

May 30, 1908.

William A. Gray,

Atlanta, Ga.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
tried in the Eastern Cherokee in 1871.

Were they sold as slaves? If so, were they owned by
white people or Indians?

Did they ever live with the Cherokees as recognized
members of their tribes? Were they admitted to tribal
councils?

Has any of your immediate relatives ever been in a
position to be a Cherokee? If so, give their names and
where and where they were sold.

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. A. G.

DEPT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Recd. MAY 27 1908
No.

35222

Augusta Kansas

May 24/08

Commissioner Miller
Washington DC

Your letter of enquiry noted.
and will say that the "reason
why my parents were not enrolled in 57."

"They knew nothing about such a matter."
"Were they ever held as slaves?" No.

"Did they ever live with the Tribe?" No.

"Were they admitted to Tribal Councils?" No.

"Did any insists relatives share in a
Payment to the Cherokee?" Not that I know of.

The facts that we did not know of these
claims. we have been late in making
our claims.

Hoping these questions are satisfactory
I remain

Wm H. Rudy

Cynthia Ann Rudy being duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Cynthia Ann Rudy: I reside in Augusta, Kan. I was born in Allen Co., Ohio in 1843; I claim relationship to Cherokee Indians through my mother, whose maiden name was Sarah Ford; My mother was born in the eastern part of Ohio about the year 1818. She was one-eighth Indian; She claims through her father, John Ford, who was one-fourth Cherokee Indian; I do not know where my grandfather, John Ford was born. I know of no enrollment of my parents or grand-parents; they never receive any money for land from the government; My mother has told me that her father came to Ohio from Tennessee with the Indians; my mother never told me of ever having lived with the Indians when she was a child. I file herewith affidavits signed by James R. Ashing, A. E. Bowyer, Rachael Bowyer and others. This is all I know in reference to the matter.

Cynthia Ann Rudy (Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August,
1908 at Augusta, Kan.

Stanley A. Bowyer
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JUL 2 1909
No. 9-224

The Augusta Commercial Club

Augusta, Kans., _____ 190.

Union Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington, D.C.

Yours of June 10 noted. I would ask
if you please on what grounds did you
advise the rejection of my claim #35-222
for Lands and Funds of the Eastern Cherokees?

You will also please send me blanks
that I may make proper applications
later in the matter of exceptions to
the rejection.

Respectfully
W. H. Rudy

Application #35-222

No. 35223

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Cynthia A Rudy* and: *X* children. Residence: *Augusta, Kans.*

Reasons:

Aunt of #35212121. Claims thru
same person.

35223

No. 852715

Name

With No. 852721

Remarks:

ant

No. 551231

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Cynthia Ann Rudy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W. A. Robinson

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Cynthia Ann Rudy
Indian name: Ford

2. Residence and post office: Augusta

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kans

5. How old are you? 64 Born Mar 29-1843

6. Where were you born? Ohio

7. Are you married? Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Arson Rudy born 1826

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Linda Wolf</u> | <u>40</u> | <u>1862</u> |
| (2) | <u>William Harmon Rudy</u> | <u>38</u> | <u>1869</u> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Goodenow

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Sarah Goodenow

Indian name: Ford

Maiden name: Sarah Ford

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 27 - 1887

Mother: Nov 20 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|---------------|------------|
| (1) | Louisa Jane Herland Garden Grove Iowa | Oct 15-1841 | |
| (2) | Anah Eliza Crepe West-Union Ohio | June 3-1845 | |
| (3) | Elizabeth Beckman Paulding, Paulding Co Ohio | Mar 14 1847 | |
| (4) | William Levi Gordon Lydia Allen Co Ohio | April 24 1850 | |
| (5) | Emma Marcia Gordon | | Sep 3 1866 |
| (6) | William Benjamin Gordon | | Dec 3-1867 |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Gordon John Gordon
William Gordon William Gordon
Full Indian name

18. Where were they born? Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>William Gordon</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Elizabeth Gordon</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (3) | <u>William Gordon</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (4) | <u>John Gordon</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (5) | <u>William Gordon</u> | <u>"</u> |
| (6) | <u>William Gordon</u> | <u>unknown</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

Grand Father John Red *Grand Mother Mary Red*
Grand Father Susan Red *Grand Mother Cynthia Red*
Grand Father John Red *Grand Mother Cynthia Red*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Cynthia A. Rudy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *August* 1907.

Cora Morris
Notary Public.

My commission expires *May 4th*, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *C. C. Smith*
and *Ray N. Clark*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with *Cynthia Ann Rudy*
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *26* years and
23 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Smith
Ray N. Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires *May 4th*, 1907, *Cora Morris*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Action: Reject

Reasons: 1. The company is not profitable.

35224

No. 3522 4

Name

With No. 35207

Remarks:

No.

X

Eastern Cherokees

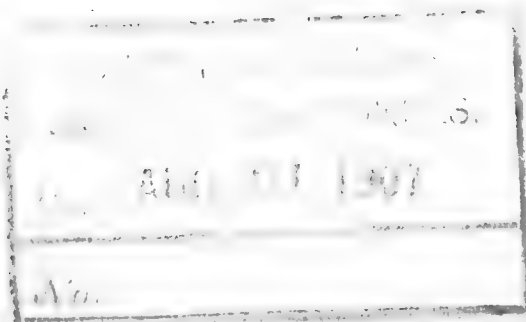
APPLICATION

OF

Laura M. ...

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Roberson
Atty

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and postoffice:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851,

set forth each claim separately:

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

No.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------|---------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| #35221- | (1) Birs ey Galispia Dunn | July 15-1878 | Aug 17-1902 |
| #35225- | (2) George Thompson Dunn | Aug 11 1880 | |
| #35226- | (3) Ernest Elmer Dunn | Feb 17 1883 | |
| #35228- | (4) Clarence Dunn | May 17 1883 | |
| | (5) Frank Lewis Dunn | March 11 1882 | |
| | (6) | | |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Dunn
Dorcas Dunn

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sam Smithman
Nettie Ann Smithman
Sam name Mr. Curley

17. Where were they born? Illinois and Virginia

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father in Illinois
Mother living at that time.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Rebecca Jane Smithman born 1848
Indian name: Mr. Curley, R. A. Smithman
Residence: Mary Elizabeth Reed born July 12-1848, Kans
Died name Mr. Curley
- (2) English name: James Lewis Smith born 1846, died name Mr. Curley 1873
Indian name: William Jefferson Smith name Mr. Curley died 1873
Residence:
- (3) English name: Jessie Munroe Smithman born 1850, res Idaho
Indian name: Mr. Curley
Residence:
- (4) English name: Cordelia Bennett born 1882 died 1890
Indian name: Mr. Curley
Residence:
- (5) English name: Ruth Ann Plummer born 1884 - Douglas Kans
Indian name: Mr. Curley
Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible.

of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

Joseph M. Curley G. Grand Father
Rene M. Curley " Mother
Jessie Benitheman G. Father
Jersey Benitheman G. Mother

James Benitheman G. Father
Ruth Ann Benitheman G. Mother
Incl. name M. Curley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc. may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *James M. Curley's name*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11* day of *May*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan 26, 190*8*

Le J. Durham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. D. Hamilton* and
Archie Nichols, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with *James M. Curley* who makes the foregoing
application and statements, and have known *him* for *21* years and *20* years, respectively
and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that
the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have
no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. D. Hamilton
Archie Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11* day of *May*, 190*7*

My commission expires

Jan 26, 190*8*

Le J. Durham
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

U.S.

Plaintiff—

Defendant—

Before

a Justice of the Peace of

in

County, Kansas.

State of Kansas, *Burt* County, ss.

James Melcher Dunn, being duly sworn, says
He is father of *Plance Estella Dunn*
Born *July 15th 1894* now living
in *Oklahoma City Oklahoma*

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, this

day of

A. D. 190

My ten office Jan 26 1911

Justice of the Peace

OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

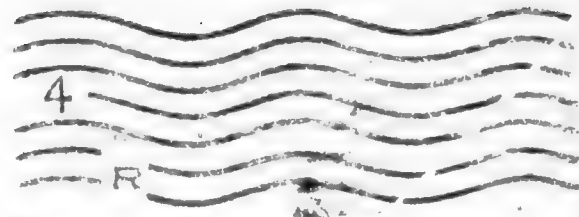
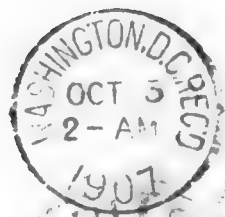
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James M. Dunn,

~~Douglas, Kans.~~

Oklahoma City
Okla.

Capital Hill



No. 2222

Action: Reject

Name: J. M. [unclear] and X children. Residence: Douglas, ^{Kans.} ~~Mo.~~

Reasons:

Trust in "Honor."

35225

No.

Name _____

With No.

Remarks:

No. 35225

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

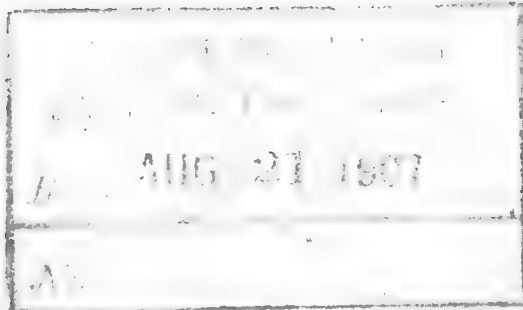
APPLICATION

OF

Ernest Elmer Dunn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Colver Atty.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ernest Oliver Dunn

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Douglas

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 22 Born Feb 17 1884

6. Where were you born? Douglas Kansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Alice Mary Dunn 22 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H. Dunn

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary P. Dunn

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: McCurley

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Friday May 17 1860

Mother: Dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|------------|
| (1) | James McJames | Feb 22 1875 | |
| (2) | Samuel McJames | July 15 '78 | May '7 952 |
| (3) | George Thompson | June 1880 | |
| (4) | Frank Lewis | Mar 1882 | |
| (5) | Marion Lewis | May '7 1885 | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>James McJames</u> | <u>James McJames</u> |
| <u>Samuel McJames</u> | <u>Samuel McJames</u> |
| <u>George Thompson</u> | <u>George Thompson</u> |
| <u>Frank Lewis</u> | <u>Frank Lewis</u> |
| <u>Marion Lewis</u> | <u>Marion Lewis</u> |

18. Where were they born? Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------|----------|
| (1) | Rebecca | Jan 1882 |
| (2) | Elizabeth | Jan 1882 |
| (3) | Edith | Feb 1882 |
| (4) | William | Mar 1882 |
| (5) | James | Apr 1882 |
| (6) | Marion | May 1882 |
| (7) | Samuel | Jun 1882 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

My father Joseph M. Curley
My mother Rebecca M. Curley
My father Isaac Smith
My mother Mary Smith
My father John Smith
My mother Mary Smith
Indian name M. Curley.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Ernest Elmer Duran*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

W. J. Duthorne
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *H. B. Owen*
and *L. Briggs*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with *Ernest Elmer Duran*
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and
20 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *who* represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. B. Owen

L. Briggs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 1908. *W. J. Duthorne*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 75666

Action: Relief

Name: Clarence Wilson Dunn and M. children. Residence: Douglass, Kan.

Reasons:
Cousin of T. C.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

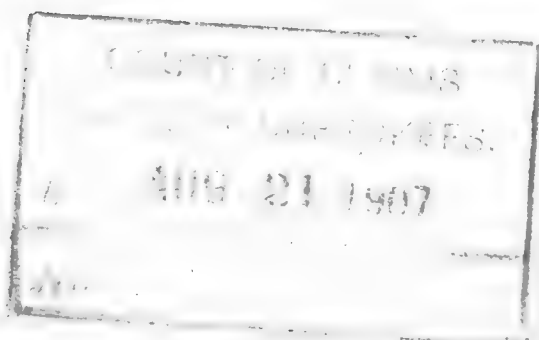
APPLICATION

OF

Clarence Edward Dunn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Rolison
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lawrence Edward Linn

Indian name: Joe Courley

2. Residence and post office: Waycross

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 22 Born May 1885

6. Where were you born? Waycross, Georgia

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Linn

Indian name:

Mother—English name: John Linn

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|----------|
| (1) | James McQuinn Dunn | Feb 22 1855 | |
| (2) | Henry Charles Dunn | Aug 12 1878 | Oct 1885 |
| (3) | Robert Dunn | Dec 1883 | |
| (4) | David Dunn | Jan 1882 | |
| (5) | William Thompson Dunn | Aug 11 1880 | |
| (6) | Clarna Edward Dunn | May 17 1885 | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | James McQuinn Dunn | Feb 22 1855 |
| (2) | Henry Charles Dunn | Aug 12 1878 |
| (3) | Robert Dunn | Dec 1883 |
| (4) | David Dunn | Jan 1882 |
| (5) | William Thompson Dunn | Aug 11 1880 |
| (6) | Clarna Edward Dunn | May 17 1885 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

other English name Rebecca Miller Indian name Rebecca Miller
other English name John Smith Indian name John Smith
other English name John Smith Indian name John Smith

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *L. Lawrence Edward Dunn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug 1907.

L. J. Durham
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. D. Hamilton

and

Ira J. Nichols

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

L. Lawrence Edward Dunn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Hamilton
Ira J. Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 1911. *L. J. Durham*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35227

Action: Reject

Name: George Thompson and 3 children. Residence: Douglass, Kans.

Reasons:

Cousin of #7800.

35227

No. 35227

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

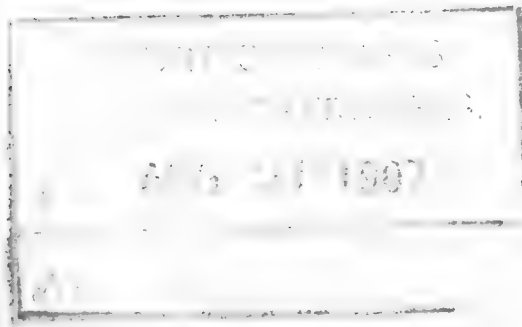
APPLICATION

OF

George Thompson Dunn

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. R. Shearn

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Serge Thompson Dunn

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Longlake

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 27 Born Aug. 18, 1880

6. Where were you born? Longlake Kansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Edna J. Dunn

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>William Dunn</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>Dec. 3, 1903</u> |
| (2) | <u>Service Dunn</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>Mar. 3, 1905</u> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: John

McDunn Ruthan Smuckerman

Father—English name: John McDunn

Indian name: McCurley Dunn

Mother—English name: Edna J. Dunn (Smuckerman)

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Edna J. Smuckerman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Longlake

Mother: Longlake

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Living

Mother: Living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 7 1900

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>Dec 22 1875</u> | |
| (2) | <u>James William Lewis</u> | <u>Jan 15 1878</u> | <u>Aug 17 1902</u> |
| (3) | <u>Ernest Lewis</u> | <u>Dec 7 1883</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Marion Edward Lewis</u> | <u>Mar 17 1885</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Frank Lewis</u> | <u>Mar 1 1882</u> | |
| (6) | <u>John Lewis</u> | <u>Aug 11 1880</u> | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>James W. Lewis</u> |
| <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>James W. Lewis</u> |
| <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>James W. Lewis</u> |

18. Where were they born? Living

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>Dec 22 1875</u> |
| (2) | <u>James William Lewis</u> | <u>Jan 15 1878</u> |
| (3) | <u>Ernest Lewis</u> | <u>Dec 7 1883</u> |
| (4) | <u>Marion Edward Lewis</u> | <u>Mar 17 1885</u> |
| (5) | <u>Frank Lewis</u> | <u>Mar 1 1882</u> |
| (6) | <u>John Lewis</u> | <u>Aug 11 1880</u> |
| (7) | <u>James W. Lewis</u> | <u>Dec 22 1875</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

*Grandfather Joseph McCarty
Father Joseph McCarty
Mother Sarah Smithman
Father James Smithman
Mother Mary Smithman
Indian name McCarty*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *George Thompson Smith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Aug*, 1907.

C. J. Durham
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 19*11*.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. D. Hamilton*
and *Geo. J. Nichols*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *George Thompson Smith* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Hamilton
Geo. J. Nichols

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 26, 19*11*. *C. J. Durham*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 75500

Action: Reject

Name: Frank Lewis Smith

and 4 children.

Residence: Douglas, Ark.

Reasons:

Child of "75500".

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No. 135128

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Frank Lewis Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W. H. Kalem
Att'y

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: David Lewis Dumas

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Englewood

3. County: Sevier

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 25 Born June 1 - 1882

6. Where were you born? Wagon Road, Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Grace May Sumner

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John D. Dumas

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Grace May Sumner

Indian name: Grace May

Maiden name: Grace May

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | George Thomas | 1872 | 1892 |

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|------|------|
| (2) | John Thomas | 1878 | 1892 |
|-----|-------------|------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|
| (3) | George Thomas | 1880 | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|------|--|
| (4) | John Thomas | 1883 | |
|-----|-------------|------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|
| (5) | John Thomas | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|
| (6) | George Thomas | 1885 | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------|------|
| (1) | George Thomas | 1872 | 1892 |
|-----|---------------|------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|------|------|
| (2) | John Thomas | 1878 | 1892 |
|-----|-------------|------|------|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|
| (3) | George Thomas | 1880 | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|------|--|
| (4) | John Thomas | 1883 | |
|-----|-------------|------|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|
| (5) | John Thomas | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|

| | | | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|
| (6) | George Thomas | 1885 | |
|-----|---------------|------|--|

No. 15000

Action: Collect

Name: John J. Smith and 2 children. Residence: 123 Main St.

Reasons: 1. 2. 3.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lem Lorena Ward

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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W. J. Wilson

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lena Lorena Ward

Indian name: M^{rs} Curley

2. Residence and post office: Augusta Kans

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 41 Born 1866

6. Where were you born? Johnson Co Kans

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John L Ward Born Apr 12-1866

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I belong to Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-------------|----------------------------|------|-------|
| 35230 - (1) | Lina Agnes Ward | 22 | 1884 |
| (2) | Roy Edward Ward | 19 | 1888 |
| (3) | Ala-ann Harrison (married) | 17 | 1890 |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John W. Curley

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Ann Curley

Indian name: M^{rs} Curley

Maiden name: Nancy Ann Smithman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 17-1900

Mother: Dec 26 1878

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

our mothers were sisters

| NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|--|---------------------|--------------------|
| (1) <u>Susan Anna Ward</u> <i>full sister Tecumseh Oklahoma</i> | <u>1873</u> | |
| (2) <u>James M^o James Dunn</u> <i>Half brother. Res Douglass Kans.</i> | <u>Feb 22 1875</u> | |
| (3) <u>Birney Halispia Dunn</u> <i>Half brother</i> | <u>July 15 1878</u> | <u>Aug 17 1902</u> |
| (4) <u>George Thompson Dunn</u> <i>Half brother Douglass Kansas</i> | <u>Aug 11 1880</u> | |
| (5) <u>Frank Lewis Dunn</u> <i>Half Bro Res Douglass Kans</i> | <u>Mar 11 1882</u> | |
| (6) <u>Clarence Edward Dunn</u> <i>Half brother Res Douglass Kansas</i> | <u>May 17 1883</u> | |
| (7) <u>Ernest Elmer Dunn</u> <i>Half bro. Res 17 1883.</i> | <u>Feb 17 1883</u> | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Dunn
Susan Dunn

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smith
Ruth Ann Smith
Orchard name M^o to

18. Where were they born? Illinois Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <u>Rebecca Jane Darnall</u> | <u>Independence Kans</u> |
| (2) <u>Mary Elizabeth Reed</u> | <u>Lacygare Kans</u> |
| (3) <u>William Jefferson Smithman</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (4) <u>Jerre Murve Smithman</u> | <u>Bois Idaho</u> |
| (5) <u>Sarah Cordeline Bennett</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (6) <u>Ruth Ann Plummer</u> | <u>Douglass Kans</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

| | | | | | |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Great-Grand Father | Joseph M. Curley | Grand Father | James Smitherman | | |
| " | " | Mother | Rebecca M. Curley | | |
| " | " | " | Mother | Ruth Ann Smitherman | |
| " | " | Father | Jesse Smitherman | Indian name | M. Curley |
| " | " | Mother | Jessy Smitherman | REMARKS. | |

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I wrote to the department at Washington D.C. August 18th 1902 and my letter was referred to commission at Muskogee I.T. for appropriate action. I have made all diligence to secure enrollment for my self and children and connection in proof of this statement I submit the documents and proofs attached to my papers.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Leroy Lorenzo Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

Cora Horner

Notary Public.

My commission expires 1st

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Cora Horner
and R. A. Marshall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Leroy Lorenzo Ward who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Cora Horner
R. A. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

My commission expires 1st

1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
COMMISSION TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES

Muskogee, Indian Territory, September 3, 1902.

Lena Ward,

Augusta, Kansas.

Dear Madam:

Your letter of August 1, 1902, to the Secretary of the Interior, has been by him referred to this Commission for consideration and appropriate action.

Therein you desire to be advised in which tribe of Indians the name Murley belongs.

It does not appear from an examination of our records that any person or persons bearing the surname of Murley have ever made application to this Commission to be enrolled as citizens of any of the Five Tribes in the Indian Territory.

Yours truly,

Acting Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

I.T.D. 4898-1902.

WASHINGTON.

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August 13, 1902.

Miss Lena Ward,
Augusta, Kansas.

Madam:

Replying to your inquiry dated August 1, 1902, you are advised that your said communication has been referred to the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Indian Territory, for appropriate action.

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

Wm. V. Lacy
Acting Chief Clerk.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Indian Territory, January 12, 1907.

Mrs. John L. Ward,
Augusta, Kansas.

Dear Madam:-

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of January 10th, in which you ask to what Tribe of Indians the McCurleys belong. You state that they lived in Illinois.

In reply you are informed that the jurisdiction of this office extends only to the affairs of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians, which are the Choctaws, Chickasaws, Cherokees, Creeks, and Seminoles.

There are many thousands of applicants for enrollment in these Tribes and it would be impossible to make an intelligent reply to your inquiry without further information upon the subject.

If the persons to whom you refer are applicants for enrollment in either of the Five Tribes above named, and you will state their full names, the names of their parents, the time and place of their application for enrollment, and any other information which might be of assistance in locating their names, your inquiry will receive careful consideration.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

WASHINGTON.

January 19, 1907.

Mrs. John L. Ward,
Augusta, Kansas.

Madam:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, asking to what tribe of Indians "the McCurly's", who lived in Illinois, belonged.

In answer you are informed that the Office is unable to ascertain from the meager information given to what tribe of Indians, if any, this family belonged. It is added, however, that the Kickapoos of the Vermillion River, and the Ottawa, Pottawatomie and Chippewa Nations of Indians resided in the State named, and by 1834 had ceded all of their lands to the United States.

Very respectfully,

Frank M. Sauer

Chief Clerk.

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY That James Smitherman married Ruth Ann McCurley, daughter of Joseph McCurley; and that the following names are their children:

Rebecca Jane Darnell, Mary Elizabeth Reed, Nancy Ann Dunn, William Jefferson Smitherman, (dead), Jesse Munroe Smitherman, Sarah Cordeline Dennett and Ruth Ann (Dunn) Planner.

STATE OF Mo COUNTY OF Cass SS:

Personally appeared before me this 21 day of June 1907,

Mr Davis & Mary Cathome

Who on their oath say that the above statement is true to the best of their knowledge and belief.; Subscribed & sworn before me June 21-1907.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused my official seal to be affixed

Thrice McCoy Notary Public
My Commission Expires 20 June 1908.

(SEAL)

GEO. W. BROWN, PRESIDENT
I. M. BROWN, VICE PRESIDENT
W. E. BROWN, CASHIER
R. A. HAINES, ASST. CASHIER

ESTABLISHED 1869

THE GEO. W. BROWN & SON STATE BANK

AUGUSTA, KANSAS April 26th. 1907.

Hon. Chas Curtis.

Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Senator;-

I write you in behalf of Mrs. Henry Bruce, Mrs. John Ward,
and Mrs. Ed. Ward, these parties are trying to establish their Indian
rights, and take allotments, the same as others have done they claim to
belong to the Cherokee Tribe, I do not think there is any doubt but that
they are what they claim to be, they are deserving people and they will
appreciate any assistance you can give them.

Yours truly,

W. E. Brown

STATE OF KANSAS,
BUTLER COUNTY.

)SS.

Leni Lorena Ward being duly sworn on her oath says:
that she was on the 2nd day of *March* A. D. 1907, at Muskogee Indian Territory, and there through her duly authorized agent J. J. Harrison did offer to file her petition and proof as required by law, for enrollment as a member of the Tribe of Cherokee Indians to the Dawes Commission at their office to Hon. Hans Kirby member in charge, but said Commissioner refused to receive said application and proofs for the reason that the same was out of time. That said affiant had made due diligence and every effort to secure proofs and that that was the earliest date at which she was able to furnish proof for enrollment as required by law.

Leni Lorena Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May A. D. 1907.

Cora Norris

Notary Public.

Witness my hand and seal this 4th day of May 1908.

COUNT OF COPIES
EASTERN CHEROKEE
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Chanute, Kansas, Mo.

Mrs John L. Ward.
Kansas.
209 W. Second
June 2 - 1908.

To the Commissioner of Court of Claims
Sydney Miller. I see by the paper that
the Indian Rolls was reopened by Congress.
now I will state my case trusting you will
advise me. When the Rolls was opened in
August. Mr J. M. Harrison ^{and myself} sent 127 appli-
cations to Mr Roberson Atty at Law.
Some of our people have heard from their
papers. most of us have not. I want you
to please advise me a bout mine and family
Lena Lorena Ward and 3 children.
If my proof is alright - will they be placed
on the rolls and will this application
to the Court of Claims be only for a share
in the special fund. and will I have
to make a separate application for allot-
ment and is there a head right - or
annuity fund due me. Any information
will be received very ^{very} thankfully
Yours Truly Mrs John L. Ward

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Let me say that your application is on file in this office,
and that the present case has been finally adjourned.

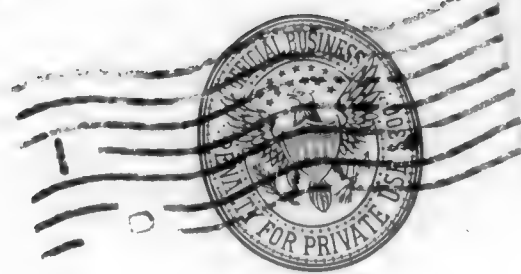
Refer you to the Committee of the Five Civil-
ized Tribes, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

to "live to the full" in the determination of your life's direction:-

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Department of the Interior.



Mr. T. M. Harrison,

Augusta,

Kansas.

1.T.D.No. 2323. Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Sir:

Your communication of February 15, , 1907,
relating to the claim of Mrs. John L. Ward for
enrollment as a Cherokee by blood,

has been referred to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, at Muskogee, Ind. T.,
for appropriate action.

Edward M. Dawson

Chief Clerk

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No. 35220

Action: Reject

Name: L. H. Smith

and M. children. Residence: Augusta, Maine.

Reasons: 0. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lina Agnes Ward

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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CLERK OF THE COURT
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
AUG 21 1907
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W. H. Keeton

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lena Agnes Ward.

Indian name: McCurley.

2. Residence and post office: Luquetta Kansas

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 22 yrs Born Aug 24th 1884

6. Where were you born? Douglas Kansas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John L. Ward

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Lena Lorena Ward

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Lena Lorena Ward

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not living at that time

Mother: not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Ray Edward Ward | April 20 1888 | |
| | Augusta Kansas Butler Co. | | |
| (2) | Ma Ann Harrison | March 16 1890 | |
| | Augusta Kans Butler Co | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|---------------------|
| Isaac Ward | John St. John |
| Martha Pina | Nancy Ann St. John |
| | Ind name 22 Lerley. |

18. Where were they born? Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|----------------------------|
| (1) | Ann Lorena Dunn (nee Ward) |
| (2) | Lucian Ann Dunn (nee Ward) |
| (3) | |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....
Great Grand Father Joseph M. Curley *Great Grand Father James Smitherman*
Mother Rebecca M. Curley *G. Ruth Ann Smitherman*
Father James Smitherman
Mother James Smitherman *Surname M. Curley*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Lina Agnes Ward*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12th* day of *August*, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 1st, 1907,

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *O. W. Haines*

and *R. A. Marshall* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Lina Agnes Ward*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and

8 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

O. W. Haines

R. A. Marshall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13th* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

May 1st, 1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 31051

Action: Reject

Name: John J. [unclear] and 5 children. Residence: [unclear], [unclear].

Reasons: [unclear]

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

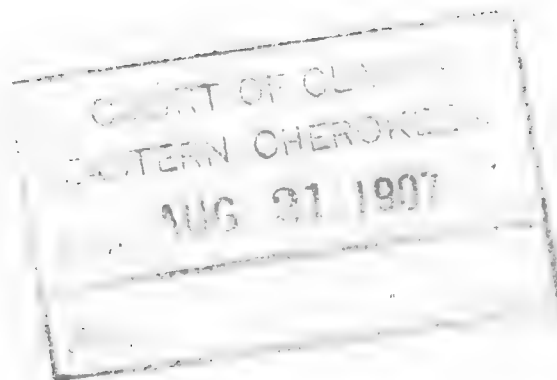
APPLICATION

OF

Susan Anna Hard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Susan Anna Ward

Indian name: Ms. Cawson

2. Residence and post office: Tecumseh Oklahoma

3. County: Pottawatomie

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 34 Born Sep 7 1873

6. Where were you born? Douglas Kansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ed. Ward born May 20 1861

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? my mother belongs to Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Verna Ward</u> | <u>10 years</u> | <u>Sep 25 1897</u> |
| (2) | <u>Stadys Hazle Ward</u> | <u>5 "</u> | <u>Nov 27 1902</u> |
| (3) | <u>Marguerite Ruth Ward</u> | <u>1 "</u> | <u>Jan 26 1906</u> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H. Cawson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Anna Ann Cawson

Indian name: Ms. Cawson

Maiden name: Nancy Ann Smithman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 15 - 1900

Mother: Dec 26 - 1878

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | Leri Lorena Ward | Apr 9 - 1866 | |
| | full Sister - Augusta Kans | | |
| (2) | James M. Ginn's son | Feb 22 - 1870 | |
| | Half Brother Res. Douglas Kans | | |
| (3) | Birney Galispia Ginn | July 18 - 1878 | Aug 17 - 1902 |
| | Half Brother | | |
| (4) | George Thompson Ginn | Aug 11 - 1880 | |
| | Half Brother Douglas Kans | | |
| (5) | Frank Louis Ginn | Mar 11 - 1882 | |
| | Half Brother Res. Kans | | |
| (6) | Earnest Elmer Ginn | Feb 17 - 1883 | |
| | Half Brother Douglas Kans | | |
| (7) | Clarence Edward Ginn | May 17 - 1885 | Res. Douglas Kans half Brother |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Ginn
Susan Ginn

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ruth Ann Smithman
James Smithman
Ned - name R. Ginn

18. Where were they born? Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) | Rebecca Jane Ginn | Born 1842 Res. Sheldahl Kans |
| (2) | Harry Elizabeth Ginn | Born 1844 " " Kans |
| (3) | Henry Ann Ginn | Born 1846 " died 1878 |
| (4) | William Jefferson Smithman | Born 1848 " " 1878 |
| (5) | Esse Monroe Smithman | Born 1850 Res. Boise Idaho |
| (6) | William Ginn Smithman | Born 1860 died 1880 |
| (7) | Rob. Ann Smithman | Born 1866 Res. Douglas Kans |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Joseph M. Curley Great Grandfather James Smithman G. Fisher
Rebecca G. Curley " " Mother Ruth Ann Smithman G. Fisher
James Smithman Great-Grandfather Indian name 1835 Curley
Jersey Smithman Great-Grandmother

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My husband Ed Ward appeared on the 11th day of Feb 1907 before the
State Commission for instructions for the enrollment of his wife. But
was refused enrollment. Told him I was too late.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Susan Anna Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug 1907.

Chas B. Blom
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 15, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F. L. Davis
and Max Kroush, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Susan Anna Ward
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and
12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. L. Davis

Max Kroush

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

May 15, 1907.

Chas B. Blom
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

CLARK OF CLARK
EASTERN CHEROKEE
MAY 22 1908
J. H.

Handwritten:
No. 35231.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 13, 1908.

Susan Anna Ward,
Tecumseh, Okla.

Madam:-

Kindly furnish this office with the date of the
birth of Marguerite Ruth Ward, giving day, month and year.
If any of your children are dead, please give date of death.

Respectfully,

Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner.

*Marquerite Ruth Ward was born
Jan. 24" 1906.
No children dead.*

Susan Anna Ward,

No. 35232

Action: Reject

Name: J. P. and Mary J. and X children. Residence: Augusta, Me.

Reasons:

County of Me.

35232

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

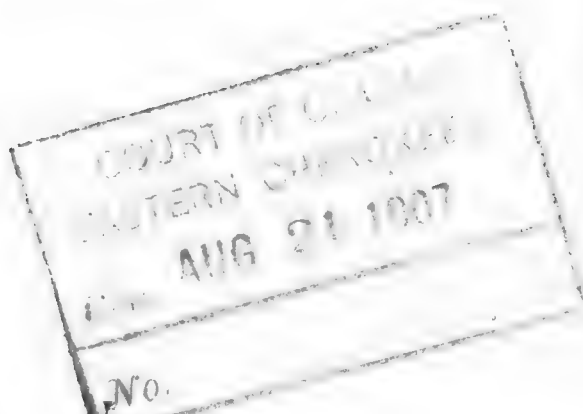
APPLICATION

OF

Ota Ann Harrison

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Harrison
Att'y

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ota Ann Harrison

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Augusta

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 17 Born 1890

6. Where were you born? Douglas Kansas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bessie Ann William Harrison age 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John L. Ward

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Ann Lorena Ward

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Ann Lorena Dumas

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Kansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Illinois

Mother: not living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-----------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lisa Agnes Ward</u> <u>Augusta Kansas</u> | <u>August 24-1884</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ray Edward Ward</u> <u>Augusta Kansas</u> | <u>April 20-1888</u> | <u>1888</u> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lisa Ward John W. Dunn

Martha Ward Nancy Ann Dunn

Indian name m^c Curley

18. Where were they born? both Illinois

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lisa Lorena Ward</u> | <u>Augusta Kansas</u> |
| (2) | <u>Susan Ann Ward</u> | <u>Tecumseh Okla Kansas</u> |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Great Grand Father Joseph McCurley Great Grand Father James Smithman
Grand mother Rebecca McCurley Grand mother Beth Ann Smithman
Grand Father Jesse Smithman Indian name McCurley
Grand mother Jency Smithman
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ota Ann Harrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

Wm. H. H. H.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me O. W. H. H.
and W. H. H. H. who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ota Ann Harrison who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

O. W. H. H.
R. A. H. H.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908. Wm. H. H. H.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 25233

Action: Refused

Name: Fred. J. Smith at 1411 and 1 children. Residence: 1406 Hill, N.Y.C.

Reasons: Child of 1411.

25233

No. 35235

Name

With No. 35234

Remarks:

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15211

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

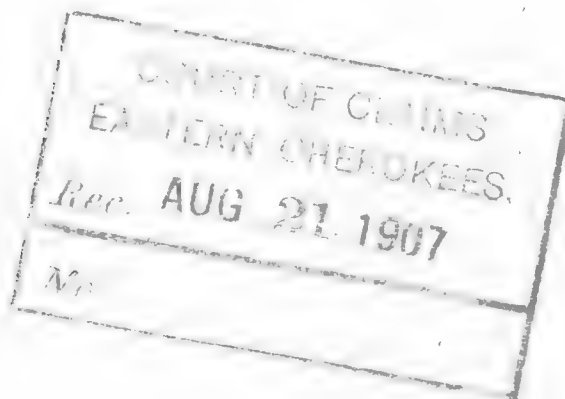
APPLICATION

OF

Frank Earnest Bennett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Keen

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frank Earnest Dennett

Indian name: M^{rs} Curly

2. Residence and post office: Rose Hill

3. County: Sedgwick

4. State: Kans

5. How old are you? 27 Born 1880 - 24 Sep

6. Where were you born? Butler Co - Kans

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Eveline Dennett 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Clara Robert-Dennett</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>1903</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert-Dennett

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sarah Cordeline Dennett

Indian name: M^{rs} Curly

Maiden name: Sarah Cordeline Smithman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not-born

Mother: not-born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: March 13-1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|--------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Carrie Charlotte Bennett</u> | <u>1878</u> | <u>1898</u> |
| #35235 - (2) | <u>Emma Della Roads</u> | <u>1884</u> | |
| | <u>Augusta</u> | | |
| #35234 - (3) | <u>Susan Ruthy Bennett</u> | <u>1881</u> | |
| | <u>Merby Kans</u> | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Bennett

Susan Bennett

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman

Ruth Ann Smitherman

Ruth W. Curley Indians name

18. Where were they born? England Father's side Tennessee Mother's

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois + Iowa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Rebecca Jane Marshall</u> | <u>Perseverence Kans</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mary Elizabeth - R. d.</u> | <u>Lacy - ne Kans</u> |
| (3) | <u>Nancy Ann - R. d.</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (4) | <u>William Jefferson Smitherman</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (5) | <u>John Monroe Smitherman</u> | <u>Boise Idaho</u> |
| (6) | <u>Sarah Caroline Bennett</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (7) | <u>Ruth Ann - Currier</u> | <u>Wonglars Kans</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Robert Emmett Great Grandfather Joseph M. Curley
Susan Emmett "Mother Rebecca M. Curley"
James Smithman Ruth Ann Smithman

REMARKS.

M. Curley Indian name.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Frank Earnest Emmett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

Cora Nomis

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

George H. Campfield

and

Charles Coline

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Frank Earnest Emmett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and

1 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo H Campfield

Charles Coline

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 11th, 1908.

Cora Nomis

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Action: Reject

Reasons: Confidence in "TRIP".

35234

No. 153334

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

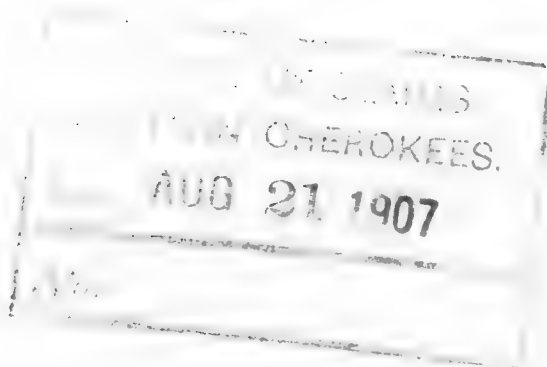
APPLICATION

OF

Susan Ruthy Bennett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



M. Robinson

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Susan Ruthie Bennett

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: near Sedgwick

3. County: Sedgwick

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 76 Born 1831

6. Where were you born? Sedgwick Co. Kansas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert Bennett

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sarah Cordeline Bennett

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Sarah Cordeline Smithersman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Illinois

Mother: Illinois

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: Mar 13-1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|--------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lebbie Charlotte Bennett</u> | <u>1878</u> | <u>1898</u> |
| (2) | <u>Frank Earnest</u> <u>Rose Hill</u> | <u>1880 Sep 24</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Emma Nella Roads</u> <u>Augusta</u> | <u>1884</u> | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Bennett

Susan Bennett

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Smitherman

Ruth Ann Smitherman

Mr. Curley Indian name

18. Where were they born? Father's England Mother's Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Rebecca Jane Marshall Independence Kans

(2) Mary Elizabeth Reed Lucy gene Kans

(3) Mary Ann Reed dead

(4) William Jefferson Smitherman dead

(5) Gene Minnie Smitherman Boise, Idaho

(6) Carah Cordelia Bennett dead

(7) Ruth Ann Plummer Douglas

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Robert-Dennett Great-Grand Father Joseph M. Curley
Susan Dennett " Mother Rebecca M. Curley
Grand Father James Smitherman
REMARKS Mother Ruth Ann Smitherman
Indians name M. Curley

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

2) Robert-Dennett state that this my daughter is a
minor and with my consent she makes the
following application. Robert Dennett

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Susan Ruthy Dennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

Lois Morris
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 4th, 1908,

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo. H. Canfield
and Charley Clive, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Susan Ruthy Dennett
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and
9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. H. Canfield
Charley Clive

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

My commission expires May 4th

May 4th, 1908, Lois Morris
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 21021

Action: Held at

Name: John William Lewis and 1 children. Residence: Augusta, Ga.

Reasons:

Owner of 'Wagon'.

35235

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

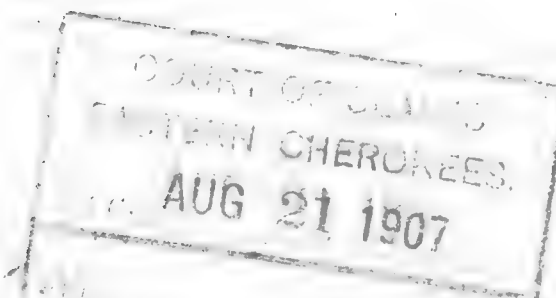
APPLICATION

OF

Emma Della Roads

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



W. H. Gibson

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Emma Della Roads

Indian name: McCurley

2. Residence and post office: Augusta

3. County: Butler

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? 22 Born 1884

6. Where were you born? Sedwick Co Kansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bess Franklin Roads age 27

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lawrence Evert Roads</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1905</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert Bennett

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Sarah Cordeline Bennett

Indian name: McCurley

Maiden name: Sarah Cordeline Smithman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born at that time

Mother: not born at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: March 13-1893.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Carrie Charlotte Demmett | 1878 | 1898 |
| (2) | Frank Ernest Demmett | 1880 | |
| (3) | Susan Ruthie Demmett | 1891 | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|---------------------|
| Robert Demmett | James Smitherman |
| Susan Demmett | Ruth Ann Smitherman |
| | W. C. Indian name. |

18. Where were they born? England Father's side Tennessee Mother's.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Illinois and Iowa.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Rebecca Jane Warrall | Independence, Kans. |
| (2) | Mary Elizabeth Reed | Lacygne Kansas |
| (3) | Nancy Ann Dunn | Dead |
| (4) | William Jefferson Smitherman | Dead |
| (5) | Jesse Marshall Smitherman | Boise Idaho |
| (6) | Sarah Cordelia Demmett | Dead |
| (7) | Ruth Ann Plummer | Douglas Kans. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

no
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

Robert Dennett Great G Father Joseph M Curley
Susan Dennett James Smith mother Rebecca McCurley
Ruth Ann Smitherman
McCurley Indian name.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emma Della Roads

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

Cora Nome
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo H Campfield
and Charley Blaine, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Emma Della Roads
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and
8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo. H. Campfield
Charley Blaine

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 1st, 1908. Cora Nome
Notary Public.

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No 35236

Name *Thomas A. Donnelly*

and 1 children.

Action: *Admit*
Residence: *Canon City*
Colo.

Reasons:

Nephew of #3529 Son of
#3532.

35236

No. 3500

Name

With No. 1000

Remarks :

No. 35236

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

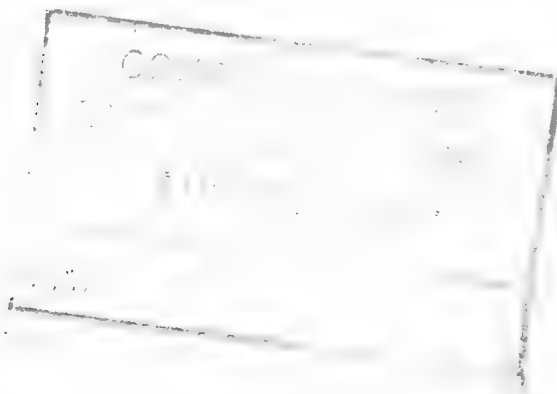
APPLICATION

OF

Thomas A. Donnelly

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------|--------|----------------------------|
| (1) | + Gladys Donnelly | 5 yrs. | Nov. 10 th 1901 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know
Mother: Delaware District, Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dying P.O. Vinila 2 T
Mother: Dying

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother on an Cherokee
rolls since her birth Cherokee Nation & tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------------|----------|
| (1) | <u>James Donnelly</u> <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | <u>1872</u> | <u>#</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mattie A. Keys</u> <u>Bluyacher 2 T</u> | <u>1874</u> | |
| (3) | <u>William Donnelly</u> <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | <u>1876</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Emma Donnelly</u> <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | <u>1884</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Paul Donnelly</u> <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | <u>1886</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Heda Donnelly</u> <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | <u>1891</u> | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John B. Daniel

Martha Daniel

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation. East

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Delaware
District Cherokee Nation. E West

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Eliza A. Hill</u> | <u>Died</u> | <u>1906</u> |
| (2) | <u>William A. Daniel</u> | <u>...</u> | <u>1879</u> |
| (3) | <u>Thomas A. Daniel</u> | <u>...</u> | <u>1872</u> |
| (4) | <u>Joshua B. Daniel</u> | <u>...</u> | <u>1863</u> |
| (5) | <u>John M. Daniel</u> | <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Marmaduke Daniel</u> | <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | |
| 7 | <u>Emma J. Donnelly</u> | <u>Vinila 2 T</u> | |
| 8 | <u>Susan E. Beck</u> | <u>Died</u> | <u>1906</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: on all Cherokee rolls
Since my birth, Cherokee Nation & Tribe

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of
their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My mother's original application
Number 3532

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Thos. A. Donnelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of July 1907.

James M. Raydael
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 28th, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. J. Hendryx
and F. M. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Thomas A. Donnelly
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and
18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Hendryx
F. M. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 18, 1907

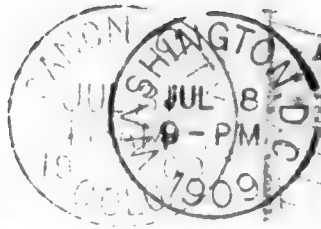
Jasper Smith
Notary Public.

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If not called for in 15 days, return to
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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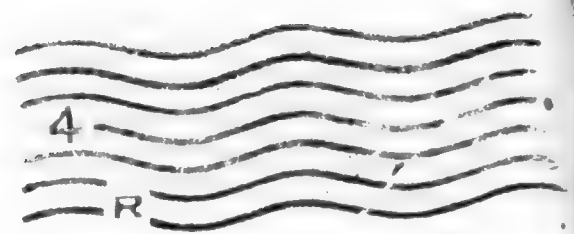
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Thomas A. Donnelly,

Canon City,

Calo.



**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*Thomas A. Donnelly,
Canon City, Colo.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your ~~wife~~ *one* minor children as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is *9833*

A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:

Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.

The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.

The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.

The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.

The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.

The Clerk of Courts at:--

North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.
Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.

Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.

Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35237

Action: Rejected

Name: W. J. Hendryt and X children. Residence: Vinita, Okla.

Reasons: Great nephew of #18756, and claims thro' same source.

35237

No. 24557-3
Name ...
With No. 18355
Remarks:

No. 35237

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

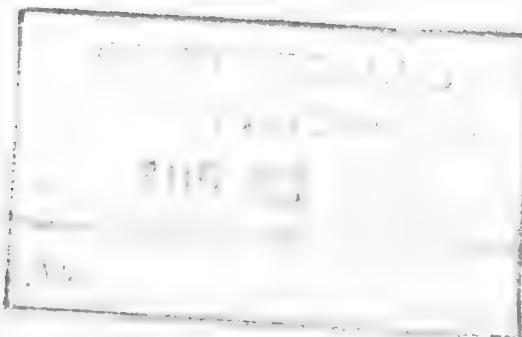
APPLICATION

OF

W. J. Hendrix

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due ^{my children} ~~me~~ of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

~~Indian name:~~

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|---------------|
| (1) | Mettie, E. Hendrix | 13. | Nov. 22-1893 |
| (2) | Johnny Hendrix | 12. | July 11-1895- |
| (3) | Edie Hendrix | 10 | Feb 2-1897 |
| (4) | Willie D. Hendrix | 9. | Sept. 8-1898 |
| (5) | Mabel Hendrix | 7 | March-18-1900 |
| (6) | their | their | |

11. Give names of ~~your~~ father and mother, and ~~your~~ mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

before birth

Mother:

before birth
their

14. Date of death of ~~your~~ father and mother:

Father:

Living. P.O. Route 24

Mother:

Dead 1900

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: MU

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of ~~your~~ ^{their} grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

W. B. Hendry

John B. Webb

Melissa Hendry

Barbara A. Webb

18. Where were they born? on their mother's side Cherokee nation ^{East}

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? on their mother's ^{East}
side Cherokee nation West

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

Mary E. Brown

(2)

Elijah Webb

Adair J. T.

(3)

Rosa Martin

(4)

Florence Cogler

Collinsville J. T.

(5)

Emma Hendry

Dead 1900

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mo

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: their great-grand
Mother was Money, E. Tiller, Mr
Rogers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) W J Hendrix

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 10

1907

Jasper S. Smith
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F M Smith

and Jos P Scott

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with W J Hendrix

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

12 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 10

1907

Jasper S. Smith
Notary Public.

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No. 35238.

Name Anna F. Daniel and X children. Action: Reject.
Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Applicants ancestors were slaves.

See letter.

35238

No. 35238

Name Anna F. Daniel

With No.

Remarks: 35238.

rejoice
Slaves

No. 137213

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Anna F. Daniel

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

H. H. Waterhouse

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Anna Franklin Daniel

Indian name:

Unknown

2. Residence and post office:

429 N. 12th St Indianapolis

3. County:

Marion

4. State:

Indiana

5. How old are you?

26

Born

1881

6. Where were you born?

Indianapolis Ind.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

26

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

None

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Moses & Irene Franklin - Irene Franklin

Father—English name,

Moses Franklin

Indian name:

Unknown

Mother—English name:

Irene Franklin

Indian name:

Unknown

Maiden name:

Irene Franklin

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Summer County Tenn.

Mother:

Summer County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not Born

Mother: Not Born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Alive

Mother: Alive

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Arthur J. Franklin | 1879 | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Isham Franklin
Nancie Franklin

18. Where were they born? Summer County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Summer County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | Irene Franklin | Indianapolis Ind |
| (2) | Addie Wilkins | Indianapolis Ind |
| (3) | Jennie Franklin | Davidson County Tenn |
| (4) | Philipp Franklin | Unknown |
| (5) | Eate Franklin | " |
| (6) | Wash Sargent | Tenn |
| (7) | Robert Sargent | Unknown |

I hereby certify to erasures, corrections,

etc., before final execution.

Chas H Stewart
Notary Public

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Unknown

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great, great-grandfather
was a full blooded Cherokee
Indian and was born in Virginia

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Anna Franklin Daniel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August 1907.

Chas H Stewart
Notary Public.

My commission expires

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mary E. Mayo
and Hattie Rollins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Anna Franklin Daniel
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and
26 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mary E Mayo
Hattie Rollins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Chas H Stewart
Notary Public.

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My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

No. 3558.

May 20, 1908.

Ann P. Daniel,

Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your grandparents were
enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1891.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees
and were members of their tribal? Were they admitted
to tribal councils?

If they were held as slaves, were they owned by
white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

U. S. MAIL

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 28 1908
No.

CHAS. H. STEWART, PRESIDENT

JAMES N. SHELTON, TREASURER



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Hon. Guion Miller,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir;

In reply to your favor of the 20th, will say in answer to your Questions;

1-Kindly advise this office why your grandparents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Answer-I don't know as my grandparents are now dead and my mother does not know as she was not born until 1860 and was very young when her mother and father died; if they told her she does not recollect as she left her home and came to this city when yet young and all the information she has come through ^{my} ~~her~~ uncle who is also now dead.

2-Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

Answer- I don't know for the same reasons as stated in query one (1).

3-If they were held as slaves, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Answer-I understand that they were slaves and were owned by white people.

Respectfully,

Anna P. Daniel

State of Indiana:
:SS
County of Marion:

Sworn and subscribed before me this the 23rd day of May

1908. Witness my hand and seal. Signed,

Chas. H. Stewart

Notary Public.

Notary Public, Marion County, Indiana.
My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1911.

No. 35239.

Action: Reject.

Name Irene Franklin and X children.

Residence: Indianapolis Ind.

Reasons:

Mother of # 35238 and claims through the same source.

35239

No. 35200

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Gene Franklin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Wm. H. ...



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Irene Franklin

Indian name:

Unknown

2. Residence and post office:

429 W 12th St. Indianapolis, Ind.

3. County:

Marion

4. State:

Indiana

5. How old are you?

about 48

Born

about 1859

6. Where were you born?

Sumner County Tenn

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

52

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Anna Franklin Daniel | 26 | 1881 |
| (2) | Arthur J. Franklin | 28 | 1879 |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Ishom Franklin Sargent

Indian name:

Unknown

Mother—English name:

Wancie Franklin Sargent

Indian name:

Unknown

Maiden name:

Unknown

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Sumner County Tenn

Mother:

Sumner County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Yes, Sumner County Tenn.

Mother:

Yes, Sumner County Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

About 1873

Mother:

1876

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|---------|-------|
| (1) | Robert Sargent | Unknown | Alive |
| | Wash Sargent | " | " |
| (2) | Tenn | " | " |
| | Fate Franklin | " | " |
| (3) | Philipp Franklin | " | " |
| (4) | Jennie Franklin | | |
| | Davidson County Tenn | " | " |
| (5) | Laddie Williams | | |
| | Minneapolis Minn | " | " |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Unknown

Unknown

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Sumner County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------|---------|
| (1) | Uncle Phil | Unknown |
| (2) | Aunt Mary | " |
| (3) | Uncle Tom Ruddy | " |
| (4) | Aunt Ann Dyer | " |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Intewon

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The father of my grandfather Robert Sargent was a full blooded Cherokee Indian and lived in Sumner County Tenn.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Irene Franklin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August, 1907.

Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

My commission expires

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Amos

and Mary E. Mays, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Irene Franklin

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Amos

Mary E Mays

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

I hereby certify to erasures, corrections, etc., before final execution.

Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

No. 35240 Action: Reject
Name: As. Arthur Dean and v children. Residence: Maxwell, Ala.
Reasons: Claims thru same source as #17042

35240

No. 5540
Name. *Bein*
With No. 1706a
Remarks :

No. 35240

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James Arthur Beam

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: James Arthur Beam

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Maxwell, T. I.

3. County: _____

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 55 Born May 16, 1849

6. Where were you born? Marshall County Ala.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband Elizabeth Beam

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>William Beam</u> | <u>16 yrs.</u> | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: James Beam

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Beam

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marshall County Ala.

Mother: Marshall County Ala.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 18, 1896

Mother: July 29, 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|------------|-----------|
| (1) | Bernanza Ark. | Dad't know | Not dead |
| (2) | Winnie Beam | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | Harvey Beam | Dad't know | Aug. 1895 |
| (4) | Edna Beam | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | Byron Beam | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | Clara Beam | _____ | _____ |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Tom Beam | Dead |
| (2) | Edna Beam | _____ |
| (3) | Elizabeth Beam | _____ |
| (4) | Harvey Beam | _____ |
| (5) | Clara Beam | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: From 1880 to 1890

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Myliant Davis
Buckley, Mary, 1830, 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I was a descendant of the Comanche

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Luther Kean

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

W. H. Smith
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Evans
and W. H. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Luther Kean who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 18 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Evans
W. H. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1, 1908
W. H. Smith
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 25 1909

No. 35240

Maxwell Okla. June 19.09

Hon. Elihu Miller.
Washington D.C

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 10 inst
received, and contents carefully
noted. In reply beg to say that I
am not familiar with law terms.
Therefore, I respectfully ask you
the following questions to wit:-

1st Was my Claim accepted?
or rejected?

2^d Do I have to make any more
proof, if so what kind?
Please answer at

once

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once and give all information
pertaining to the matter. And if there
is any more proof to be made, please
send blank for proof.

By complying with the above
request you will greatly oblige
Yours Very Respectfully.

Jas. Arthur Beam,
Application Maxwell,
No 35240. Okla.

No. 35241.

Action: Rejected.

Name Mattie Smith and 3 children. Residence: Tyro, Ark.

Reasons:

Sister of #34085 and claims through the same source.

35241

No. 35241

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. 137311

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mattie Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Beattie Smith

Indian name: Cherokee Tribe

2. Residence and post office: Waynesboro

3. County: Lincoln

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 46 years Born 1861

6. Where were you born? Hollins Ark

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Edith Smith 19

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Descendants of Cherokee tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Julia Smith Pearce</u> | <u>27</u> | <u>1879</u> |
| (2) | <u>John Smith</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (3) | <u>Anna Smith</u> | <u>10</u> | <u>1896</u> |
| (4) | <u>Edith Smith</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>1887</u> |
| (5) | <u>William Smith</u> | <u>15</u> | <u>1891</u> |
| (6) | <u>Robert Smith</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1892</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wesley McShan

Indian name: Dont Know

Mother—English name: Susan McShan

Indian name: Dont Know

Maiden name: Susan McShan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ben Tree Key

Mother: St. Lawrence

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Leflore Co., Mississippi

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 8th 1903

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|-------|-------------------|
| (1) | Lourence Skidger | 1844 | Colins Ark |
| (2) | Corelia Cross Larisa Parcella | 1848 | Dec. 1895 Miss |
| (3) | | 1863 | Pine Bluff Ark |
| (4) | Stella Henry McShan | | Colins Ark |
| (5) | | 1867 | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|-----------------|
| John McShan | Roland Tarrant. |

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Alabama

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|------------------------------|
| (1) | Nancy McShan |
| (2) | |
| (3) | None living except |
| (4) | my mother. I am a descendant |
| (5) | on my father's side only. |
| (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my father was born in Ky. in 1811.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant on my father's side only. He was born in 1811 & his father's name was John McShaw - was born before 1800.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mattie Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

J. A. Eastman

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 10th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. C. Kimbro

and

J. B. Hays

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mattie Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and

27 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. C. Kimbro

J. B. Hays

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 15th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 10th, 1908.

J. A. Eastman

Notary Public.

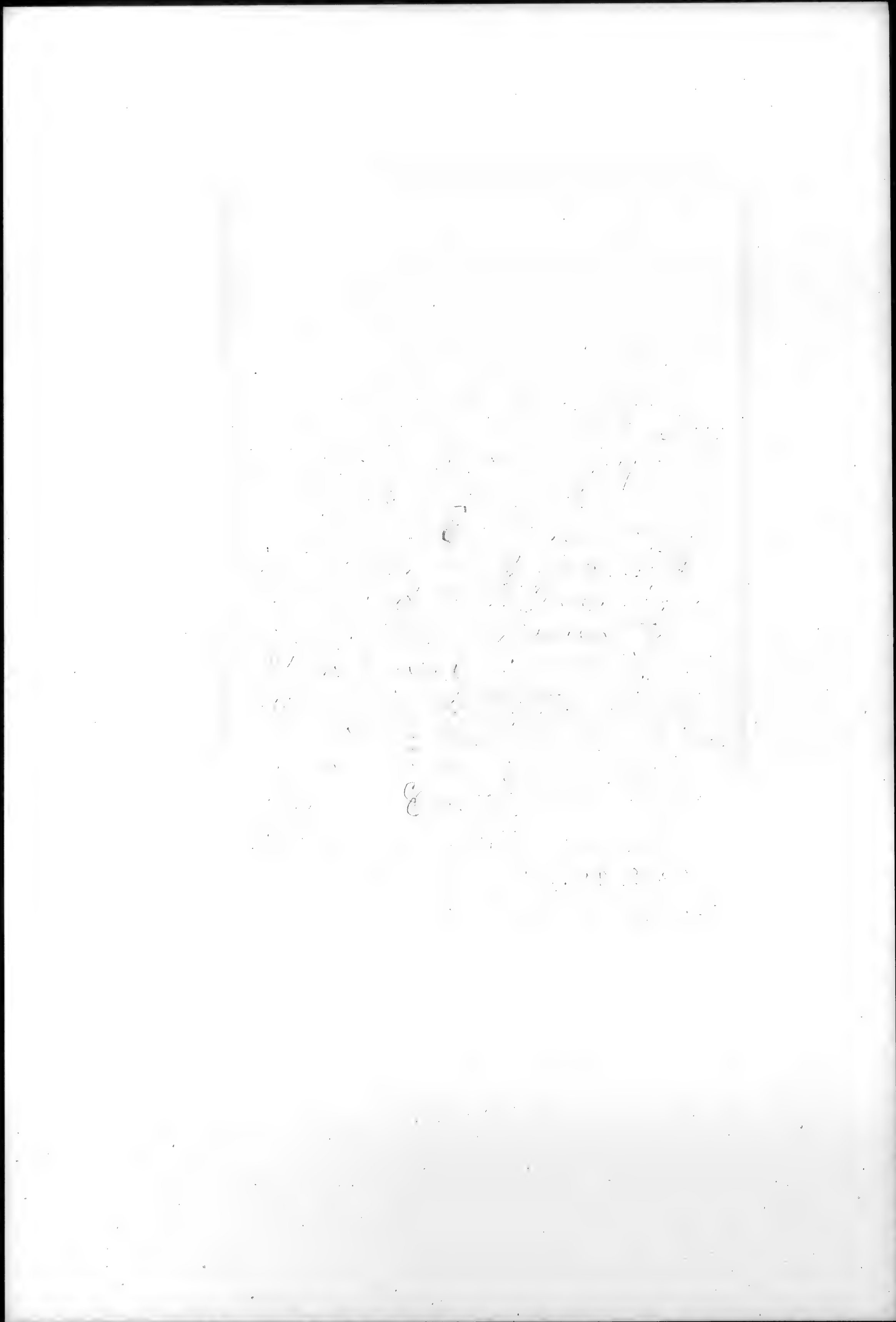
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| Name | Age | Born |
|--------------|-----|------|
| Ellie Smith | 11 | 1893 |
| Mattie Smith | 12 | 1892 |
| Carrie Smith | 11 | 1891 |
| Laura Smith | 1 | 1890 |
| John Smith | 6 | 1890 |

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec. MAY 25 1908

No.



18/12/19
I have to say that
I failed to do so,
they are in a better
position by my
failure to do so.

Wendy M. T. Smith
Tyrone

May 20.

35741
4212

No. 35242

Action: Rejected.

Name..... Mollie J. McClanahan and 3 children. Residence: Wian, Okla.

Reasons:

Ancestors not on any roll. Testimony fails to show ancestors to be parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.

Misc. test. 2929.

35242

Daughter to

No. 15342

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mollie J. McClanahan

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

6-624



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: McClenahan, James

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: _____

3. County: _____

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1876

6. Where were you born? Indian Territory

7. Are you married? _____

8. Name and age of wife or husband: McClenahan, Mary 50 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>James McClenahan</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>1899</u> |
| (2) | <u>John</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>1905</u> |
| (3) | <u>John</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1906</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: James McClenahan

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary McClenahan

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: McClenahan

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: Cherokee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | William Lee King | | |
| (2) | Thomas Alex Anderson | | |
| (3) | Isaac Anderson | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | |
|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|-------|
| (1) | James J. Cole | _____ |
| (2) | James Henry | _____ |
| (3) | Wm. Lewis | _____ |
| (4) | John Lewis | _____ |
| (5) | Thomas | _____ |
| (6) | | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Walter H. Hopper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Walter H. Hopper

and Louisa Hopper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Walter H. Hopper

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known for years and

15 years, respectively, and know Walter H. Hopper to be the identical person who represents

Walter H. Hopper to be, and that the statements made by Walter H. Hopper are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Walter H. Hopper's claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. L. Hopper

Louisa Hopper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

1908

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APR 1. 1905.

William T. McClanahan, being first duly sworn,
deposes and says:

My name is William T. McClanahan; I am
the husband of Lollie McClanahan; I make no claim of
Cherokee blood myself; my wife claims her Indian
blood through her father; neither and none through her
mother; her mother's maiden name was Sarah E. Cole;
my wife was born in Arkansas; she is thirty-seven years
old and was born in Polk Co., Ark.; my wife's mother
was born in Cherokee Co., Ga.; I think; my wife's
mother was born in 1828; my wife's mother claimed her
Indian blood through her father, James S. Cole; she claimed
no other blood; I think James S. Cole must have
been born in Georgia; James S. Cole was about sixty
years old when he was born about 1829; James S. Cole
claimed his Indian blood through his father, Samuel Cole;
I don't know where Samuel Cole was born, but he was ~~xxx~~
lived in Georgia; I don't know when he was born or when
he died; Samuel Cole must have been about three-quarters
Cherokee; Samuel Cole never came to the Ind. Terr.;
my wife's mother married in Ark.; she was about seventeen
years old when she came with her father to the West;
none of her ancestors through whom my wife claims ever
owned any land that I know of; ~~my wife's~~
~~application before the Dawes's Commission~~
my wife was not enrolled by the Dawes's Commission and
did not receive an allotment of land; Samuel and James
Cole lived with the Cherokees in Georgia and I have been
told that they were recognized as Cherokees; James
Cole in 1838 and soon applied for citizen papers
but the papers and applications were vetoed by the Chief;
about 1841 Samuel and James Cole lived in Cherokee Co., Ga.;
in 1841 Samuel and James Cole were living in Cherokee Co.,
Ga.; none of my wife's people were ever admitted to
the Cherokee Nation.

W. T. McClanahan
William T. McClanahan

I am sworn to before me, at
this day of April, 1905.

Fred C. Baker
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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No 35243

Action: Admit

Name Fannie B. Lynch and 3 children.

Residence: Tulsa, Okla

Reasons:

Cousin of #4291. Daughter
of #11215

35243

No. 35243

Name James H. Smith

With No. 4291

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hannie B. Lynch

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Bell Lynch nee "Hegglefinger"

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Tulsa Ind Ter

3. County: Creek Nation

4. State: Ind Ter

5. How old are you? 31 Born 1876

6. Where were you born? Coowesscoee Dist Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Lynch 38 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? U. S. Citizen

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|--------------|------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| <i>Child</i> | | | |
| (1) | <u>Golding Lynch</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>Isla Marie Lynch</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>1898</u> |
| (3) | <u>Herbert A. Brie Lynch</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>1902</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: G. P. Hegglefinger

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Hegglefinger

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Elizabeth Cochran

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Seewan District Cherokee Nation

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Missouri

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: For Land and Annuities at

Cherokee Indian

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | AGE |
|-----|---|-------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Joseph E. Hefflinger</u> <u>Dawson, Ia.</u> | <u>1873</u> | <u>Age 32</u> |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | |
|-------|----------------------|
| _____ | <u>James Cochran</u> |
| _____ | <u>Betsy Cochran</u> |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

Allegheny District

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Cochran</u> | <u>Joseph Cochran</u> |
| (2) | <u>Susan "</u> | <u>Elizabeth "</u> |
| (3) | <u>Sarah "</u> | <u>George "</u> |
| (4) | <u>William "</u> | <u>James "</u> |
| (5) | <u>Jesse "</u> | <u>Heaven "</u> |
| (6) | _____ | <u>Josephine "</u> |

1/2 Bn
Sisters

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

Clamunee I.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Fannie Belle Lynch*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3rd* day of *August*, 1907.

Robert E. Lynch

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 2nd

, 19*10*.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Leah C. Perryman*

and *Lawrence L. Baldridge*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Fannie Belle Lynch*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *Her* for *15* years and

15 years, respectively, and know *Her* to be the identical person *She* represents

Herself to be, and that the statements made by *Her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *Her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Leah C. Perryman

Lawrence L. Baldridge

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *3rd* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

July 2nd

, 19*10*.

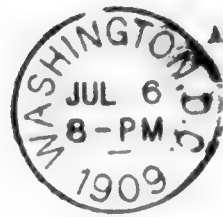
Robert E. Lynch

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Fannie Bell Lynch,
Tulsa, Okla.



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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*James B. Smith,
Tulsa, Okla.*

Sir: You are hereby notified that in my report to the Court of Claims of May 28, 1909, I have enrolled you and your ³ minor children as entitled to participate in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906.

Your number on this roll is ¹⁷⁹³
A copy of all the names enrolled by me as entitled to participate in said fund has been forwarded to the following places, where said roll may be examined:
Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.
Dana H. Kelsey, U. S. Indian Agent, Muskogee, Oklahoma.
Secretary of Cherokee Nation, Tahlequah, Oklahoma.
U. S. District Indian Agents at:--Vinita, Nowata, Sapulpa, Okmulgee, Checotah and Westville, Okla.
The Clerk of District Courts at:--Bartlesville, Miami, Claremore, Pryor Creek, Tulsa, Wagoner, Tahlequah, Sallisaw, Stigler and Grove, Oklahoma.
The City Clerks at:--Coffeyville and Chetopa, Kansas, and Porum, Oklahoma.
The Cherokee Indian School, Cherokee, North Carolina.
The Clerk of U. S. District Courts at:--Rome, Savannah and Atlanta, Georgia; Knoxville and Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Alabama.
The Clerk of Courts at:--
North Carolina:--Murphy, Robbinsville, Franklin and Bryson City.
Tennessee:--Maryville, Cleveland, Ooltewah, Jasper, Decatur, Madisonville and Benton.
Alabama:--Center, Fort Payne, Gadsden and Guntersville.
Georgia:--Cartersville, Canton, Marietta, Dawsonville, Blue Ridge, Rome, Cumming, Ellijay, Calhoun, Dahlonega, Alpharetta, Spring Place, Jasper, Hiawassee, Blairsville, Lafayette, Dalton, Clayton and Gainesville.

A limited number of copies of this roll, with the order of the Court, have been printed and will be sold at \$2.50 each, and the proceeds applied to the cost of printing.

A total of 45,857 applications, including about 90,000 individual claimants, have been considered and of these a total of 30,254 individuals have been enrolled; 3,203 of which were Eastern Cherokees residing east of the Mississippi, and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi.

The Court of Claims in its order of June 10, 1909, has directed that all exceptions to my report shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., to be filed in the Court on or before the 30th day of August, 1909.

The Court has further ordered that all exceptions to my report shall be set down for hearing before the Court on the third Monday of October, 1909.

Until these exceptions have been acted upon by the Court no money will be distributed.

Please retain this circular and present it at the time of payment.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35244

Action: *Wipe it*

Name:

1st ... and 3 children.

Residence:

1st ...

Reasons:

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No. 35-6
Name John
With No. 313

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

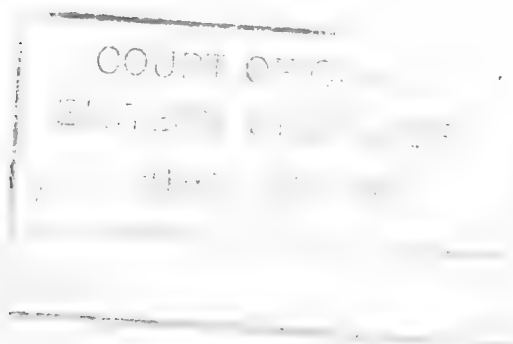
APPLICATION

OF

Wilbert L. Parkison

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18 1905 and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Ada R. Parkison - (deceased)

Indian name:

None

2. Residence and post office:

Welch Ind. Ter.

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

Aug 23 - 1877

6. Where were you born?

State of Arkansas

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Wilbert H. Parkison

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

Henry B. Parkison

10

Jan. 27 - 1896

(2)

Beulah J. Parkison

9

Oct 29 - 1898

(3)

Louie R. Parkison

6

Sept. 27 - 1900

N.B.

(4) Have answered questions #1 to #9 as if Ada R. Parkison was living to show she was the mother of the three applicants. Answers to questions from #11 on relates to the three applicants

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Wilbert H. Parkison

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Ada R. Parkison

Indian name:

None

Maiden name:

Ada R. Kinnison

12. Where were they born?

Father:

State of Indiana

Mother:

State of Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Born 1874 - Sep 27th

Mother: Born Aug 23d 1877

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: November 9th 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee Indians. Participated in all the payments made the Cherokees since her birth

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>none - as the application is made for</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>the three children who are all minors</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>and are children of Ada R. Parkison</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>who died Nov 9th 1905, and makes</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>no application for anything due</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>her estate.</u> | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
J. H. Parkison -
white man.

MOTHER'S SIDE.
P. B. Kimmison - white adopted,
Antiphene L. Kimmison.

18. Where were they born? Antiphene Kimmison Born in Arkansas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? State of Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|---------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Oscar Kimmison</u> |
| (2) | <u>Lizzie V. Kimmison</u> |
| (3) | <u>Joseph D. Kimmison</u> |
| (4) | <u>John Kimmison</u> |
| (5) | <u>Pascal Kimmison</u> |
| (6) | <u>May Bell Kimmison</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Enrolled with the Cherokee Tribe

in the Dawes Commission Rolls, but are to receive to have
drawn any money in the last payments, from their attorney

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cherokee Relations, are - Mother Cida R

Parkison-nee-Kinnison-Grandmother, Antiphene L. Kinnison-nee
Loud, Great Grand mother was a sister of Claim #3813 and
the Great Great mother was Betsy Springston-nee-Harman,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

As explained before this application is made for and
on behalf of Henry B. Parkison - Beulah J. Parkison
and Louie R. Parkison, the minor children of Cida R.
Parkison, deceased.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Wilbert H. Parkison
Legal Guardian of Henry B. Beulah J.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Aug, 1907.

Chas. F. Dipendaf

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 24, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Curtis E. Holderman

and

Levi B. Gritts

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Wilbert H. Parkison

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in above claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Curtis E. Holderman

Levi B. Gritts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 24

, 1910.

Chas. F. Dipendaf

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35244

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

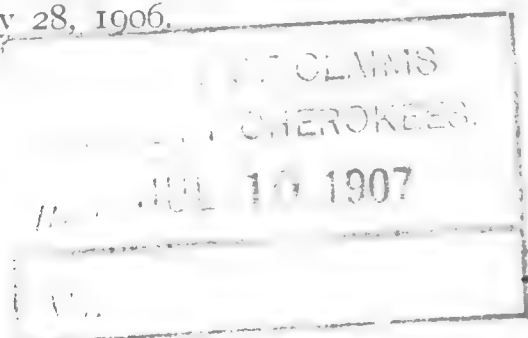
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Wilbert H. Parkison

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No.

1. State your full name: Wilbert H. Parkison,
2. Residence and post office: Muskogee, Indian Territory,
3. County:
4. State:
5. Date and place of birth: Columbia City, Indiana,
6. Are you married? was married, but my wife is now deceased,
7. Name and age of wife ~~or xxxxxx~~ Ada R. Parkison-nee-Kinnison,
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~xxx~~ she belong? Cherokee's
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Henry B. Parkison,</u> | <u>Eleven years,</u> | <u>Jan. 27-1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>Beulah J. Parkison,</u> | <u>Nine years,</u> | <u>Oct. 29-1898</u> |
| (3) | <u>Louie R. Parkison,</u> | <u>Seven years,</u> | <u>Sept. 27-1900,</u> |
| (4) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (5) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (6) | ..... | ..... | ..... |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians Cherokee's Daws Commission, and have allotments,
in said Cherokee Nation,

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Betsey Springston-nee-Foreman, wife of Edley Sprinston, was my Children
great-great-great Grandmother, and their great-great Aunt name is
Bettie Smith, who has made application for her share of the funds,
but I do not know her application number.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Wilbert H. Parkison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16th day of July, 1907.

Cal Gallantyne

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Curtis F. Holderman and Ellis R. Gourd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Wilbert H. Parkison who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in the above claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Curtis F. Holderman
Ellis R. Gourd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July, 1907.

C. A. Ballantine
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 352444

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Wilbert H. Parkison

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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OFFICE PHONE 383

W. H. Parkison
~~C. E. HOLDERMAN~~

RESIDENCE PHONE 778

OIL LEASES HANDLED ON COMMISSION
DEEDED LANDS A SPECIALTY

REFERENCES
FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK, CHETOPA, KAN.
BANK OF WELCH, WELCH, IND. TER.
BANK OF COMMERCE, MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER July 16th, 1907,

Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I am sending you a supplemental application for my children as they are decondants of an Eastern Cherokee~~s~~ and are entitled to a ~~pe~~ percapity payrent of the money that is due that class of Cherokees,

Yours Truly.

W. H. Parkison
Guardian

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July 30, 1907.

Wilbert H. Parkison,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your supplemental application in behalf of your minor children.

It does not appear, from the records of this Office, that you have filed an original application, therefore there is enclosed herewith a blank for that purpose.

Nor does it appear whether you claim for these minors through your own line of descent or that of your deceased wife. In case it is the former, fill out the blank in your own name, stating the names and ages of your children in the proper places. In case it is the latter, make out the application in the name of the children, giving their full history through their mother, signing the same as their natural guardian, in the absence of a legal guardian.

You are requested to give this matter prompt attention.

Very respectfully,

WEA

Special Commissioner.

Enclosure.

August 13, 1907.

Wilbert H. Parkison,

Muskogee, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Your attention is called to our letter of July 30, 1907,
and you are now informed that the time for filing these applications
expires on August 31, 1907.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

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File

C. E. HOLDERMAN

OIL LEASES HANDLED ON COMMISSION

DEEDED LANDS A SPECIALTY

REFERENCES

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK, CHETOPA, KAN.
BANK OF WELCH, WELCH, IND. TER.
BANK OF COMMERCE, MUSKOGEE, IND. TER.

MUSKOGEE, IND. TER August, 22nd. 1907

Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Washington, D.C.

Yours of the 13th to hand, and will say in reply that I have forwarded to your office the application that you sent me to fill out for my children for their share, of the emigrant money. Now I have made this thing out as near as I know how and have given all the information that I know of or can find out to identify them as heirs. Betsy Springston-nee-Torrey was the first child - first girl - born to her, hence she will inherit from her mother, I beg to remain,

Yours Truly;

Mr. J. S. Riney

No. 35245

Action: *Reject*

Name *Gerdie Lee Bishop* and \ children. Residence: *Muskogee, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of #33154. Claims
through same source.*

35245

No. 35245
Name Hedy A. B. 15
With No. 33154

Remarks:

me
No. 17317

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Verdie Lee Bishop

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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~~WILLIAM A. WRIGHT~~
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wordie Lee Dishop

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Muskogee

3. County: Western District

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 20 years Born February 3rd., 1887

6. Where were you born? Lampassas, Burnett County, Texas.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? -----

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Robert Sishop

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Martha Ellen Bishop

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Martha Ellen McKinzie

12. Where were they born?

Father: Marion County, Alabama

Mother: Burnett County, Texas.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I do not know

Mother: I do not know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living, Post office is Warner, Indian Territory

Mother: Living, Post Office address is Warner, Indian Territory

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|---------------------|-------------|
| (1) | Robert Bishop | Sept. 24, 1878 | in the 80s |
| | Maudie Bishop | March 29, 1885 | in 1906 |
| (2) | Arlo Bishop | Sept. 1st., 1880 | |
| | Texanna, Cherokee Nation, Ind. Ter. | | |
| (4) | Cora (Bishop) Canthorn | Feb. 20, 1882 | |
| | Fawn, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory | | |
| (5) | Andy Bishop | I do not know | I Dont know |
| 6- | Delia Bishop | Sept. 10, 1894 | about 1900 |
| (7) | Maggie Bishop | Feb'y 24, 1898 | |
| | Warner, Indian Territory. | | |
| (8) | Any Bishop | May 30th., 1892 | |
| | Warner, Indian Territory. | | |
| (9) | Anno Bishop | Feb'ry. 6th., 1900- | about 1903. |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Robert Bishop Daniel McKinzie

Bessieby Bishop Martha (Alison) McKinzie

18. Where were they born? I do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: on mothers side

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) Dave McKinzie | (7) Ed McKinzie |
| (2) Mary (McKinzie) Billbery | (8) Dan McKinzie |
| (3) John McKinzie | (9) Frank McKinzie |
| (4) Martha (McKinzie) Bishop | (10) Maggie McKinzie |
| (5) Rowl McKinzie | (11) Alex McKinzie |
| (6) Callie (McKinzie) Chambers | (12) Charlie McKinzie |
| | (13) Gill McKinzie |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I do not know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cannot

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Verdie Lee Bishop)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of August 1907.

T. R. Palmer
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 10th 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Oscar Stegall

and

Lewis W. Mulkey

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Verdie Lee Bishop

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Oscar Stegall
Lewis W. Mulkey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

June 19 1909 Edmund J. Sapper
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35246.

Action: Reject.

Name Lucy Hillyard and X children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe
See letter.

35246

No. 35246

Name Lucy Hilyard

With No.

Remarks: Re feet
See letter

Amputation unit
on rullr.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lucy Hillyard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

6-624

H. H. Hatcherhouse

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Lucy Hillyard (or Halliard)
English name: Lucy Hillyard (or Halliard)
Indian name: unknown
2. Residence and post office: Alpheus Home Ind pr
send mail 714 20 Toledo St, Indianapolis, Ind
3. County: Alphonso
4. State: Ind
5. How old are you? 83 years Born Dec. 5-1823.
6. Where were you born? Halifax Co. N.C.
7. Are you married? No. Died 35 years ago.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Washington Halliard.
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee.
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Halliard</u> | <u>about 47</u> | <u>about 2-7-60</u> |
| (2) | <u>Mollie Williams</u> | <u>60</u> | <u>about July 9-47</u> |
| (3) | <u>George Halliard</u> | <u>44</u> | <u>about Oct. 63.</u> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Betsy Bird & Henry Bird. Betsy Winburn.
Father—English name: Henry Bird
Indian name: unknown
Mother—English name: Betsy Bird
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Betsy Winburn

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina
Mother: North Carolina.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indiana

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 30 years ago.

Mother: Don't know date.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>None</u> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Dr. Dick Bird
Unknown
Polly Locklear
Unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

David Winburn
Unknown.

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|-------------------|
| (1) | |
| (2) | <u>Don't know</u> |
| (3) | |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

See answer to #17

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

(This old lady has hemi plegia and is therefore helpless and makes mark. She traces her Cherokee lineage through the ~~Hillyard~~ family)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Bert Deerp

(Signature)

Lucy X Hillyard

Claudia Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16

day of

Aug

1907.

I certify to alterations.

My commission expires

Bert Deerp

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Notary Public.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

My commission expires Nov. 9, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Claudia Walker

and Ella Walden, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Lucy Hillyard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Claudia Walker

Ella Walden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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Bert Deerp

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, or Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35348.

May 30, 1908.

Laceyilliard,

410 Toledo St., Indianapolis.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled
in the Eastern Cherokee Indians in 1851.

Did you ever live with the Cherokee as a recognized
member of their tribe.

When did you, or your ancestors, come to the West?

Were you held as a slave? If so, were you owned by
white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

H. C. Allen

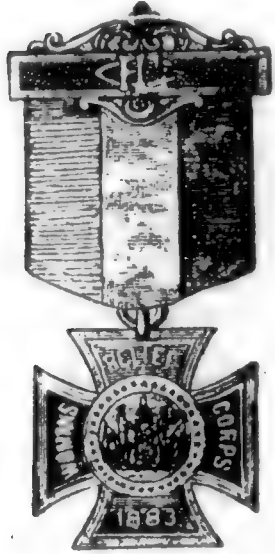
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 27 1908
No.

GEORGE B. JACKSON, Pres.
335 Toledo St.

ELLA WALDEN, Treas.
420 Toledo St.

MAY HERRON, Sec'y
453 W. 15th St.

FRANCIS McAVILL, Press Cl.
356 W. 12th St.



Headquarters
MARTIN R. DELANEY
W. R. C. No. 118

Indianapolis, Ind., 190.....

Handwritten:
H. H. H.
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No. 35247

Action: Reject

Name Sherman Payne and 6 children. Residence: Baltimore, Md.

Reasons: Cousin of - # 38405

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No. 35547

Name

With No. 3541

Remarks:

Cause of -
38415-

No. 35317

5- Children

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sherman Payne

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Engine Wray, Atty.
Asheville, N.C.*

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Sherman Payne;

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Biltmore Village; R. F. D. # One P. O.;

3. County: Buncombe;

4. State: North Carolina;

5. How old are you? Thirty Seven; Born 1870;

6. Where were you born? Henderson County, North Carolina;

7. Are you married? Yes;

8. Name and age of wife or husband: My Wife's age is Twenty Nine; Katie;

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Ralph E. Payne,</u> | <u>Nine Years,</u> | _____ |
| (2) | <u>Edith D. Payne,</u> | <u>Seven Years,</u> | _____ |
| (3) | <u>Carl F. Payne,</u> | <u>Five Years,</u> | _____ |
| (4) | <u>Marguerette A. Payne,</u> | <u>Three Years,</u> | _____ |
| (5) | <u>Mahlon S. Payne,</u> | <u>One Year.</u> | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Larkin D. Payne and Eliza Payne, nee Eliza Monard.

Father—English name: Larkin Dee Payne,

Indian name: Moblies,

Mother—English name: Eliza Manard

Indian name: Reviles,

Maiden name: Eliza Manard.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rutherford County, North Carolina, in 1837;

Mother: McDowell County, North Carolina, in 1830.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Polk County, North Carolina;

Mother: Polk County, North Carolina.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Is living.

Mother: Died November 21st, 1900.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Not to my knowledge, but have understood that they had.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Marsett Payne,</u> | <u>1860,</u> | <u>1901,</u> |
| | <u>Malissa Payne,</u> | <u>1866,</u> | <u>1903,</u> |
| (2) | <u>Martha Payne,</u> | <u>1850,</u> | <u>Living.</u> |
| (3) | <u></u> | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (4) | <u></u> | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (5) | <u></u> | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (6) | <u></u> | <u></u> | <u></u> |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Indian Mobli's Ind.-Raford Odum,

Eng.- Jeff Payne; Alfred Odum Eng.- Manard

Ind.- Pruit, Peter Payne Ind.- Lizina Revillies,

Eng.- unknown. Eng.- unknown to me.

18. Where were they born? Roberson County, North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Polk Co., North Carolina,
and both were living at said time.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Spain Manard,</u> | <u>Asheville, N. C.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ganer Manard,</u> | <u>Asheville, N. C.,</u> |
| (3) | <u>Wesley Manard,</u> | <u>Asheville, N. C.</u> |
| (4) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (5) | <u></u> | <u></u> |
| (6) | <u></u> | <u></u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have never been enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Aug. 1907.

Eugene W. W.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb. 22d. 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with

Sherman Payne
Mr. S. Nelson
who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sherman Payne
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and
him years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Eugene Edwards
W. J. W. W.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Feb. 22d. 1907. Eugene W. W.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 19 1908

No. 3-247

MAY 19 1908

Baltimore Md. May 18, 1908

Mr. Guion Miller
Special Commissioner

Dear Sir

Mahton S. Payne was borned July
The 14th 1905. and so far there is
not any of my Children dead.

Very Respt,

Yours.

Sherman Payne.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 25 1908
No.

Baltimore Md.

May the 23 d. 1908

Mr Guion Miller
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

1. They my parents were not full Indians only part. ~~Indians~~ therefore they were never Enrolled to my knowledge
2. No they did not live with the Indians and were not and were not recognized Members of their tribe. They my parents were not admitted to Tribal Councils.
3. No one of my close Relatives Ever did share in any Payment at any time to my knowledge.
34. My parents were never slaves.

If there is any further Information you want please Write and I will gladly furnish you all the Information I can.

I am Very Respt. yours.
Sherman. Payne.

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Biltmore N.C. Oct. the 12. 1908
R.F. L.R.2

Mr Guion Miller.

Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Having past the testimony examination the 18th.
of July past. before Mr Bradley. and I past alright
I also had witnesses. I now present to you the parts.
of Indian blood that I claim is in me.

as it may be some assistance to you in proportioning
the distribution of funds. if the percentage of Indian
Blood has any thing to do with it.

When will those get their money. who has made
this application. And will you receive any
more applications.

I claim $\frac{5}{16}$ of Indian Blood. $\frac{3}{16}$ From my Father
and $\frac{2}{16}$ from my Mother. Making a total of $\frac{5}{16}$.
The rest of my Blood is Scotch & Irish.

Waiting a reply.

I am truly yours.

Sherman Payne

No. 35247

Oct. 14th, 1906.

Herman Payne,
R. F. D. No. 2,
Biltmore, N. C.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of Oct. 12th and in
reply you are advised that the time for filing claims for
participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund expired August 31st,
1905.

We have now on file more than 45,000 applications
and it will necessarily take considerable time to complete the
taking of testimony and the final adjudication of the claims.

If we need any additional information in your case,
you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Yours

no. 35247.

May 30, 1961.

Spier van Reyno,

CONFIDENTIAL, U.C.R.P. 11

Small. Advise this office why your parents were not
rolled with the Eastern Cherokee in 1871.

Did they ever live with the Germans as recognized
enemies? Were they entitled to trial
and punishment?

any of your immediate relatives ever there in
relation to the explosion? If so, give their names and
where they were when they were slain.

Q. Were your parents held as slaves? If so, where they
held?

Respectfully,

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May the 26th. 1909

Biltmore R.F.D#2

Office of Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir.

It has been some considerable
time since I had any hearing from
those Indian Claims. and I
am quite anxious to know if
the matter has gone to the wall.
are if you are still taking
evidence. Can you give me any
idea when the propositionment
will come off, If the claims are
good.

Respectfully yours,
Sherman. Payne

Claim No 35-247.

No. 35248

Action: Reject

Name James Bond and 4 children. Residence: Williamsburg Ky

Reasons:

Brother of 33097

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No. 35248
Name *W. E. Con*
With No. 33197

Remarks:

No. 55248

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

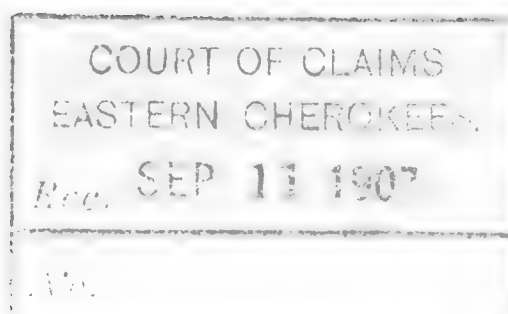
APPLICATION

OF

James Bond

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Gilbert Dodson Bond, | 10 | |
| (2) | James Plaine Bond | 8 | |
| (3) | Thomas Bond | 6 | |
| (4) | Maxwell Bond | 4 | |
| (5) | Harace Bond | 2 | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Anderson Co. Ky.

Mother: Knox Co. Ky.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1893

Mother: Mother still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>J. H. Bond</u> | <u>1867</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Crockett
Betsy Crockett

18. Where were they born? In Virginia and Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Henry Crockett in Va. and Betsy Crockett in Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Hearn</u> | <u>Williamsburg, Ky.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Eliza Patten</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Pattience Crockett</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Jane Bond</u> | <u>Williamsburg, Ky.</u> |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Henry and Betsy Crockett, grandparents, Jane Bond and Preston Bond, parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I can prove that my grand mother mother Betsy Crockett was an "Eastern Cherokee" Indian woman

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James Bond

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug, 1907.

R. L. Pope
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 9, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Dr. E. S. Moss

and

Wm Perkins

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

James Bond

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. S. Moss

Wm Perkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 10, 1908. R. L. Pope
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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File

H. W. BOND,
Attorney-at-Law.

Special Attention
Paid to Collections

Williamsburg, Ky., Aug. 15 1907

Hon. Guion Miller
Special Commissioner of the Court
of Claims
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find
application for my share in fund appropri-
ated by act of Congress in the Eastern Chero-
kee Claims.

Please send me application
blanks for each of my five children.

Very truly
James Bond

James Bond
Application for
Eastern Cherokee

App. No. 35248.

September 4, 1907.

James Bond,

Williamsburg, Kentucky.

Sir:

Your Eastern Cherokee Application is returned herewith for
your signature.

Please sign and return the application without delay.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

Enclosure.

No. 35249.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Cristina Washburn*, and *3* children.

Residence *South Bend Ind.*

Reasons: *Sister of # 22489*

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

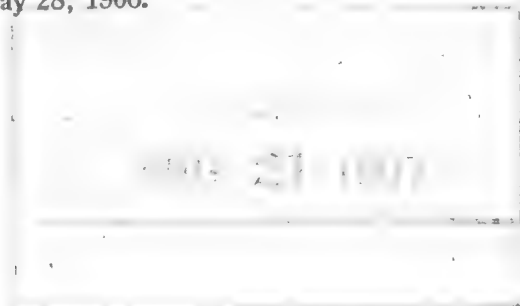
APPLICATION

OF

Leistina Mathews

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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H. H. Mathews

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 O'Quay Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Christina Mathews

Indian name:

Not known

2. Residence and post office:

209 Jackson St

3. County:

St Joseph South Bend Ind

4. State:

Indiana

5. How old are you?

52

Born

1855 May 12

6. Where were you born?

Hamilton Co Ind

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Samuel Mathews 92-61

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>Oliver P Mathews</i> | <i>29 April 14</i> | <i>1886</i> |
| (2) | <i>Edna M Mathews</i> | <i>27 Feb 27</i> | <i>1878</i> |
| (3) | <i>Escar Mathews</i> | <i>23 Nov 1</i> | <i>1884</i> |
| (4) | <i>Elsie Mathews</i> | <i>25 June 27</i> | <i>1882</i> |
| (5) | <i>Adelita Mathews</i> | <i>18 July 14</i> | <i>1889</i> |
| (6) | <i>Carey Mathews</i> | <i>15 Nov 15</i> | <i>1891</i> |
| | <i>Golden Mathews</i> | <i>17 Nov 14</i> | <i>1893</i> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Wade Roberts

Indian name:

Not known

Mother—English name:

Mary J. Roberts

Indian name:

Not known

Maiden name:

Mary J. Roberts

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Sulford Co North Carolina

Mother:

Sulford Co North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Hamilton Co Indiana*

Mother: *Hamilton Co Indiana*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *do not remember his death*

Mother: *dead 29 years ago*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *no*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------------|--|-------------|---------------|
| <i>age 60</i> | (1) <i>William P Roberts</i> <i>Hamilton Co Ind</i> | <i>1847</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| <i>age</i> | (2) <i>Le O Roberts</i> <i>Marion Ind</i> | <i>1849</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| <i>age 56</i> | (3) <i>Eli Roberts</i> <i>Areader Ind</i> | <i>1851</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| | (4) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | (5) _____ | _____ | _____ |
| | (6) _____ | _____ | _____ |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Fannell Roberts

Indian name not known

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lizah Roberts

Indian name not known

18. Where were they born? *Living Co North Carolina*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Hamilton Co Ind*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *James Roberts* *Hamilton Co Ind*

(2) *Mary Roberts* *Hamilton Co Ind*

(3) *Emilia Roberts*

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandfather was Hansel Roberts and 1/2 blood Cherokee Indian and came from Guilford Co. North Carolina
Pascila Roberts was my Grandmother 1/2 Cherokee Indian and came from Guilford County North Carolina

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Christena Matthews)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Aug 1907.

Geo Smiley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 20 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sarah Johnson
and Eli Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Christena Matthews
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for years and years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sarah Johnson
Eli Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 20 1907 Geo Smiley
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35250.

Action: *Rejected.*

Name.

Jesse B. Wood and *5*

children.

Residence:

Boles, Ky.

Reasons:

Claims through same source as #12673.

35250

No. 33230
Name: [illegible]

With No. 12675

Remarks :

No. 35250

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. R. Wood
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Leah R. Dool

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Belle

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 36 years

Born May 26 1871

6. Where were you born? Fulton Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife dead, Milled (Rich)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | William Y. Dool | 12 | 1894 |
| (2) | Artie | 11 | 1896 |
| (3) | " | 9 | 1898 |
| (4) | Bertie | " | 1900 |
| (5) | Conrad | 1 | 1901 |
| (6) | wife | wife | |

11. Give names of ~~your~~ father and mother, and ~~your~~ mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Leah R. Dool

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Rich

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Mary Ann McAdair

12. Where were they born?

Father: Jackson (now Clay) County Tenn

Mother: Jackson (now Clay) County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John Rich | 1868 | |
| (2) | James Rich | 1870 | |
| (3) | Fannie Rich | 1872 | Dead |
| (4) | Blisha Rich Jr | 1874 | |
| (5) | Robert Rich | 1874 | |
| (6) | Alfred Rich | 1876 | Dead |
| | Marinda Rich | 1879 | Dead |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| my wife's Blisha Rich Sr | my wife's John McCalpin |
| Mary Rich | Emily McCalpin |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|-------------------|------------------|--------------|
| (1) | William Rich Moss | Robert McCalpin | Mayfield Ky |
| (2) | James Rich Moss | William McCalpin | Moss, Tenn |
| (3) | John Rich Moss | Daniel McCalpin | Prichard Ala |
| (4) | Robert Rich | | |
| (5) | Fannie Rich | | |
| (6) | Alfred Rich | | |
| | Marinda Rich | | |
| | John Rich | | |
| | James Rich | | |
| | Robert Rich | | |
| | Fannie Rich | | |
| | Alfred Rich | | |
| | Marinda Rich | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My wife's full name — Mattie D. Rich
whom I married Sept 24, 1873
and who died Feb 7, 1906.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *G. B. L. Russell Wood*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

R. B. Knight
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 14, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G. B. L. Russell Wood

and *Minnie Rich*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

G. B. L. Russell Wood

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. B. L. Russell Wood

Minnie Rich

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 14, 1908.

R. B. Knight
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35251

Action: Reject

Name John D. Prater and 4 children. Residence: Dalton, Ga.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1833-6 & 1846. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain.

35251

35257

No. 110251

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James D. Prater

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-06



35251

*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John D. Prater,

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Dalton,

Whitfield

3. County: _____

Georgia.

4. State: _____

5. How old are you? 52 years. Born May 3rd, 1855.

6. Where were you born? Gordon County, Georgia.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Martha Prater, Age 49 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indians.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Henry Prater</u> | <u>31 yrs.</u> | <u>Savannah Prater</u> <u>14 Yrs</u> |
| (2) | <u>Edna Prater,</u> | <u>27 yrs.</u> | <u>Eva Bell Prater</u> <u>11 Yrs</u> |
| (3) | <u>Lillie Prater,</u> | <u>25 yrs.</u> | _____ |
| (4) | <u>Lula Prater</u> | <u>23 yrs.</u> | _____ |
| (5) | <u>Lona Prater,</u> | <u>20 yrs.</u> | _____ |
| (6) | <u>Jimmie Prater</u> | <u>16 yrs.</u> | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Sallie Prater

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rachel Prater,

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rachel Kelly

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: South Carolina.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon County, Georgia.

Mother: Gordon County, Georgia.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1865

Mother: 1891

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Harry Godfrey,</u> <u>Gordon Co., Ga.</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Hannah Wood,</u> <u>Bradley Co., Tenn.</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>S.T. Prater,</u> <u>Pickens Co., Ga.</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>Henry Prater,</u> <u>Texas.</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>A.C. Prater,</u> <u>Bradley Co., Tenn</u> | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Kelly

Lucy Kelly

(nee Partin)

18. Where were they born? South Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gordon County, Georgia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | Dead |
|-----|------------------------|------|
| (1) | <u>Philon Kelly</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Singleton Kelly</u> | " |
| (3) | <u>Burdine Kelly,</u> | " |
| (4) | <u>Daniel Kelly</u> | " |
| (5) | <u>Mary Kelly,</u> | " |
| (6) | <u>Louisa Kelly,</u> | " |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I am the son of Rachel Prater, who was the daughter of Lucy Kelly, who was daughter of _____ Partin, Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John D. Prater

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

Wm. Laph Clerk S.C.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

December 31st, 1908., 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George Springfield

and J. D. Chastain who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John D. Prater

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George Springfield
J. D. Chastain

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th. day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

December 31st, 1908., 190 .

Wm. Laph Clerk S.C.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 30 1909
No. 35251

Georgia (personally appeared before me a
Walker County) Major Public & Superior Justice of
The Peace in & for the County and state of
Ga. said, W. P. Chaslain who an oath says
the following facts are just & true.

1st John D. Foster, I personally knew said John
D. Foster, (was born in 1808.)

2nd Lucy Kelly, was Grand Mother of John D. Foster,
she died in 1866, was 76 years old, her Ma-
in name was Lucy Partin.

3rd William Kelly, was Grand Father of John D. Foster
& husband of Lucy Kelly, he died in 1877,
was 70 years old.

4th Both Grand Parents were born in South
Carolina.

5th The Indian ^{name} of Lucy Kelly was Lucy Partin and
and the English name Kelly.

6th The name is W. P. Chaslain, I am 67 years
old.

Sworn to and subscribed
before me

This July 26th 1909

W. P. Chaslain

W. P. ^{his} X Chaslain
Mozk

No. 35252.

Action: Repeated.

Name: Mrs. Isaac H. Brown and 4 children. Residence: Lenoirville, N.C.

Reasons:

Grand niece of H. H. Brown

35252

No. 5525

Name of 155-5525

With No. 15483

Remarks:

155152

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

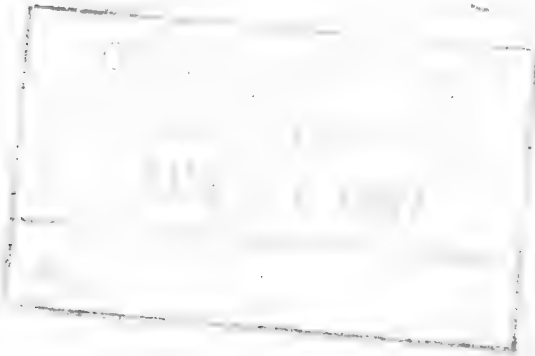
APPLICATION

OF

Mrs Jesse F Bowers

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
12, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



255152

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James T. Bowers

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Tramerville

3. County: Wayne

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 26 Born 1881

6. Where were you born? Tramerville

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jesse T. Bowers

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: John B.

Father—English name: John Henry Stuart

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Caroline Stuart

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Henrix

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tramerville, Wayne Co., N.C.

Mother: Tramerville, Wayne Co., N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Thermerville Frysia County

Mother:

Thermerville =

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

W.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Willie Stuart | 1884 | |
| (2) | Jane Stuart | 1889 | 1889 |
| (3) | John Stuart | 1890 | |
| (4) | Jane Stuart | 1893 | |
| (5) | Lena Stuart | 1893 | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bartholomew

Leahanna Heavrik

George

Isabell Stuart

18. Where were they born? Frysia County, N. B.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Frysia County, N. B.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Lena Heavrik | San Francisco, Cal. |
| (2) | Jane Stuart | San Francisco, Cal. |
| (3) | John Stuart | California, near |
| (4) | William Stuart | Idaho |
| (5) | Theresa Stuart | Idaho |
| (6) | Anna Stuart | San Francisco, Cal. |
| | Martin Stuart | Idaho |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mrs Jesse Bowers. great-grandmother was Hannah Jones before Mary David Benjamin daughter of Harkiah & Martha Jones said Martha Jones
REMARKS. was the daughter of David & Sarah Brooks. Sarah Brooks was the daughter of Joe Samara & Mary Samara. His wife was a Cherokee Indian.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs Jesse F Bowers.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

L. V. Pulp.
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 10th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. R. Beeson
and J. R. Jayce, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Jesse F Bowers who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. R. Beeson
J. R. Jayce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires Sept 10th, 1908. L. V. Pulp.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 14 1909
No. 35757

Y. Hill
6/10

Kernersville, N.C. June 14th, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Your notice in regard to my application No 35252 has been received and accepted. Does not the Court furnish blanks for this evidence? If so will you kindly furnish me with same and oblige. I can make my claim plain and clear to the Court by a man that is 99 years old and is living to day that worked for my ancestors which was Eastern Cherokees. Thanking you in advance for blank etc..

Yours truly.

Mrs Jesse F Bowers.

No. 35253.

Action: Rejected.

Name: Mrs. John Stuart and 4 children. Residence: Kernerville, N.C.

Reasons:

Officer of #18483.

35253

No. 5255

Name J. H. Smith

With No. 52

Remarks:

10150

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs Jns Stuart

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

3533

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs John Stuart.

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Kennersville

3. County: Forsyth.

4. State: North Carolina.

5. How old are you? 48. Born 1859

6. Where were you born? Kennersville town ship.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John H Stuart

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>Marcella</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>Married.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Willie B. C.</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Lena T. C.</u> | | <u>Dead.</u> |
| (4) | <u>John</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>W. A. C.</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>Lena C. C.</u> | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Bartlett
Fennell, Lodina Fennell, Shields

Father—English name: Bartlett Fennell.

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lodina Fennell.

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lodina Shields.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Forsyth County N. C.

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Forsyth County North Carolina.
Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Bird 1855
Mother: Bird 1855

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: 225

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Lora Hendrix. Oak Bridge, N.C. | - | |
| (2) | Beile Stuart. Oak Bridge, N.C. | - | |
| (3) | Era Young. Chatham Co., Ga. | - | |
| (4) | Minnie Crowl. Texas. | - | |
| (5) | Birdie Kress. Oak Bridge, N.C. | - | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| David Hendrix | John Shields |
| Hannah Hendrix | Polly Shields |

18. Where were they born? Granville County N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Swain co, n.c.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Lucy Pitts Seneca, N.Y.
(2) Eliza L. Stafford, Bernersville, N.C.
(3) _____
(4) _____
(5) _____
(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mrs John Stuart

Grand mother was Hannah Jones before marrying David Hendrix daughter of Hezekiah & Martha Jones, said Martha Jones was the daughter of David and

REMARKS: (Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Sarah Brooks, said Sarah Brooks was the daughter of Joel Sanders and Mary Sanders his wife who was a Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs John Stuart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Aug 1907.

Geo. V. Fulp

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 10th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. R. Beeson

and J. R. Joyce, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs John Stuart

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. R. Beeson

J. R. Joyce

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 17th, 1908.

Geo. V. Fulp

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. No. 35253.

September 5, 1907.

Mrs. John Stuart,

Kernersville, North Carolina.

Madam:

Please notify this Office at once as to the dates of the births of your children, also the date of the death of your child, Ione B. Stuart.

In replying, please mention your application number, 35253, and sign your own Christian name to your letter.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

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No. 35752

Plk. No. 35253.

Kernersville, N.C.
Sept. 7. 1907.

Union Miller
Special Commiss-
ioner,
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: I
send names
and dates of births and deaths
of my children. As
requested, Very respectfully,
Caroline Th. Miller

Born Oct-9th 881 Age 26 years.
Mary Belle Stuart. Married.

Born May 11th 1884 Age 23 years.
Willie Blanche Stuart.

Born April 23, 1889 Age 18 years.
Died Dec. 12 1889.
Dora Boyd Stuart.

Born Aug 18th 1890 Age 17 years.
Mae Edith Stuart.

Born Dec-17, 1893 Age 13 years.
Lena Clara Stuart.
Gora Clara Stuart. Young.

No. 35254.

Action: *Repealed*

Name: *Narah E. John* and *1* children. Residence: *Maryville, Mo.*

Reasons:

Daughter of #176097 claims that same

Dr. 1. 2. 0. 0.

35254

No. 55254

Name L. E. E. 1

With No. 19607

Remarks:

No. 17351

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah E. John

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Sarah E. John

Indian name:

Little

2. Residence and post office:

Marionville, Mo.

3. County:

Madaway

4. State:

Missouri

5. How old are you?

34 yrs

Born

May 3^d

1873

6. Where were you born?

Greene County, Mo.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

William E. John, 36 yrs old.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|-------|---------------|
| (1) | Rebecca A. John | 3 yrs | Mar 17 - 1904 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

W. Whitman

Indian name:

None

Mother—English name:

Rachel E. Whitman

Indian name:

Little

Maiden name:

Rachel E. Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Greene County, Mo.

Mother:

Polk County, Mo.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: ~~Amazonia~~ ~~Amazonia~~ ~~Indian County Mo~~

Mother: ~~Gentry Mo~~ Gentry Co. Mo

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both Living

Mother: Both Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|----------------------------------|-------|
| (1) | C. J. Whitman Council Bluffs Iowa | Sep 25 th 1868 | |
| (2) | A. N. Whitman Beatrice Nebraska | " 3 " 70 | |
| (3) | Mary E. (Whitman) Stanley St. Louis Nebraska | May 3 ^d 71 | |
| (4) | A. L. (Whitman) Des Moines Iowa | Garrison Jan 10 th 75 | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| John A. Whitman no Indian blood | Manlove Cranor Little |
| Rachel H. Whitman no Indian | Eleanor Cranor no Indian |

18. Where were they born? Eleanor Cranor New York
Manlove Cranor Maine County Ind

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Gentry County Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | Mrs Rachel E. Whitman | Stamberg Mo |
| (2) | W. J. Cranor | Travels no home Stamberg Mo |
| (3) | C. C. Cranor | Travels no home Stamberg Mo |
| (4) | Elizabeth J. Hall | Deceased |
| (5) | Mary N. Millen | |
| (6) | Harry Cranor | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great Grand Mother Cranon

was half Blood Cherokee she had 3 Brothers as follows
Hugh Robert & John Little. She died in 1851. She had two
sisters: they who married William Fowler, & Henry who married John
Cranon.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Col. Manlove Cranon was heard by Mary to say
his Mother Elisabeth Cranon wife of Thomas Cranon
was 1/2 Blood Cherokee as David Cranon also testifies
My great grand mother through whom I claim was a half blood Cherokee of the
South Carolina or Eastern Cherokee Indians. She and Thomas Cranon my great grand
father were married on the way from North Carolina to Indiana and her name was Elizabeth
Little.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah & John

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Fifth day of August 1907.

W. M. Ashby

Notary Public.

My commission expires

October 6th, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. J. Stockton
and J. S. Milligan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sarah & John
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Stockton

J. S. Milligan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Fifth day of August 1907.

My commission expires

October 6th, 1910.

W. M. Ashby

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
SEP 23 1907
No. 35754

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9/28/07

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they came to Mr. Smith's
I saw the man. I received
my commission before he
went to the office, where
I was visiting at the
time.

Yours &c.

H. C. Smith

No. 35255

Action: Reject

Name Mrs. Elizabeth Reddick and 1 children.

Residence: Ashland, Okla.

Reasons:

Three of 19056.

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No. 25255
Name J. H. Whiteley
With No. 20387

Remarks:

135253
No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Ura Elizabeth Redden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.*

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ora Elizabeth Redden.

Indian name: Never had any Indian Name.

2. Residence and post office: Ashland,

3. County: Central District.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 24 years old. Born May 22, 1883.

6. Where were you born? In the state of Arkansas.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ausmus Raymond Redden, 35 years of age.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Theodosia Redden.</u> | <u>13 months of age.</u> | <u>April 16, 1905.</u> |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: William Reuben Mannford Whitley.

Indian name: (None).

Mother—English name: Olive Charlotta Whitley.

Indian name: (None).

Maiden name: Olive Charlotta Lamar.

12. Where were they born?

Father: I do not know.

Mother: I do not know, but think they were both born in state of Arkansas.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In state of Arkansas.

Mother: In state of Arkansas.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| (1) | Jessie Whitely. Bro. | Feb. 4, 1875. | Living. |
| | John Whitely. " | Sasakwa, I.T. Jan. 14, 1877. | " |
| (2) | Will Whitely. " | Yampa, Colorado. Feb. 5, 1879. | Living. |
| | Lark Whitely. " | Sasakwa, I.T. April 27, 1880. | " |
| (3) | | Sasakwa, I.T. | |
| (4) | Orpha Whitely. Sister. | May 3, 1885. | Living. |
| | Cleveland Whitely. Bro. | Yampa, Colorado. May 23, 1888. | " |
| (5) | Charlie Whitely. " | Yampa, Colorado. March 10, 1891. | " |
| | Olive Whitely. Sister. | Yampa, Colorado. Feb. 19, 1894. | " |
| (6) | | Yampa, Colorado. | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Whitely. Grand Father.

John Lamar, Grandfather.

Elizabeth Whitely. "

Mother.

Pennie Lamar, "

mother.

No Indian names.

No Indian names.

18. Where were they born? I do not know.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Arkansas, except

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Alfred Whitely. (Uncle.) Maxwell City, New Mexico.

(2) Katharine Skinner. (Aunt)

(3)

(4) This is all I remember.

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Whitely, and Elizabeth
Whitely, Grandparents on fathers side, John Lamar and Pennie Lamar,
grandparents on mothers side. William Reuben Whitely and Olive Char-
lotta Whitely is my father and mother.

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I myself know nothing about this for sure, only have always heard
that my ancestors claimed to be Cherokee Indians.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ora Elizabeth Redden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th. day of August 1907.

H. G. Rowley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 9, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Dorsey,

and Fred Bowers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ora Redden,

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Dorsey
Fred Bowers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th. day of August 1907.

My commission expires

March 9, 1909.

H. G. Rowley

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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R. H. HALL, PRESIDENT

J. B. PATTERSON
VICE-PRESIDENT

H. G. ROWLEY, CASHIER.

The Bank of Ashland,

CAPITAL, \$10,000.00.

Ashland, Ind. Ter. October 15, 1907.

Mr. Guion Killer, Special Commissioner.

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Mrs. A.R. Redden requests me to write you in regard to Eastern Cherokee Claim #35255, also claim #41750, and find as to about when these cases will be tried, and the fund divided among the Eastern Cherokees.

This is Ora E. Redden, and she will appreciate an early reply in regard to this.

She received both of your cards one dated 8/4/07, and one dated 9/19/07, but as she does not fully understand these cards, she requests that you make this plain to her by letter if you can do so.

Respectfully,

H. G. Rowley

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DEPOSITORS IN THIS BANK ARE GUARANTEED BY THE DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

The Bank of Ashland

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL
STOCK, \$10,000.00

SURPLUS, \$650

J. B. PATTERSON, PRESIDENT
L. O. PICKENS, VICE PRESIDENT
H. G. ROWLEY, CASHIER
W. R. STINNETT, ASS'T CASHIER

Ashland, Okla., April 10, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller.

Washington D.C.

Ora E. Redden, 35255-

Dear Sir:-

I have been requested by Mrs. A.R. Redden and Mrs. Orpha Sullivan to write you in regard to Eastern Cherokee Enrollment applications Nos. ³⁵⁴⁶³ 35255, 35463 and 41758, and wish to know what has been done in regard to same, or if nothing has been done they would be glad to learn as to when anything will be done concerning same.

Please give them a prompt answer to this, and I am sure that they will appreciate same, and will be glad to reciprocate if possible.

Respectfully,

H. G. Rowley

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. MAR 29 1909 |
| No. 35255 |

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J. B. PATTERSON, PRESIDENT

H. G. ROWLEY, CASHIER
W. R. STINNETT, ASS'T CASHIER

L. O. PICKENS, VICE-PRESIDENT

The Bank of Ashland

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK \$10,000.00
SURPLUS \$650.00

ALL DEPOSITS IN THIS BANK ARE GUARANTEED BY
THE DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND OF
THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Ashland, Oklahoma March 25, 1909.

Mr. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please write me at an early date as to the disposition made of the following cases, and if nothing has been done, please tell me what I may expect in the near future, and oblige.

Application #35255 and #41750 Eastern Cherokee Court of Claims,

Respectfully,

(Handwritten signature)

No. 35256

Action: Reject

Name Kate Gertrude Harper and X children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Sister of #74949

35256

No. 30206

Name

With No.

Remarks:

Sister G. 2. 1906

No. 1352511

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Kate Gertrude Harper

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Kate Gertrude Harper

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

747 Indiana Ave. Indianapolis

3. County:

Marion

4. State:

Indiana

5. How old are you?

33 years.

Born

Jan. 24th - 1874

6. Where were you born?

Bedford Lawrence Co. Indiana

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Chas. J. Harper - Age. 39.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|---------|----------------|
| (1) | Helen Marie Harper. | 13 yrs. | Mch. 20 - 1894 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Thomas F. Crossen

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary Louise Crossen

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Maria Poniva Roberts

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Bloomington Indiana

Mother:

Indian Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Stoughton Ind.

Mother: Salem Ind.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 1705

Mother: July 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: 160

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Crossen</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1855</u> | |
| (2) | <u>Mary E. Mays</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1857</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Ellen M. Mays</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1859</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Anna Walker</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1861</u> | |
| (5) | <u>Thomas F. Crossen</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1863</u> | |
| (6) | <u>Joseph L. Crossen</u> <u>Indianapolis</u> | <u>1866</u> | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Mary Crossen</u> | <u>William Steward</u> |
| <u>"Indian name"</u> | <u>Benjamin Steward</u> |
| <u>"Indian name"</u> | <u>"Uncle Sam"</u> |

18. Where were they born? North Carolina - mother's side

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Salem Ind.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>Mariah Louisa Roberts (Crossen)</u> | <u>Deceased</u> |
| (2) | <u>James L. Roberts</u> | |
| (3) | <u>Rachel Ann Roberts (Thompson)</u> | |
| (4) | <u>Mary Roberts</u> | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: See

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Mother - Marian L. Cross*

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother - Mariah L. Crossin
nee Roberts - Grandmother - Delilah Stewart - Great
Grandmother - Tabitha Wilkinson or "Wild Rose" who
was a full blooded Cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August 1907.

day 01 1907.
Chas. R. Stearns

.....
Notary Public.

My commission expires

190 commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907,

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me.

and Morris Lewis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Kate Gertrude Harpes

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rev. Morris Lewis

Julia M. Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

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Chas. H. Stewart
Notary Public.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 1907.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 10 1909
No. 35256

Notice
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Mydels. Ind.
June 8th 1909

Mr. Miller

Dear Sir,

It has been almost
two years since we shut
in our claims in the
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.
There has been more or less
correspondence between
Washington and the parties
in the enrollment,
but up to the present time
no real or settled
results in this matter have
been accomplished.
As the money - which we
are now paying - is being
delayed there are

... of us that ...
... doubt is ...
... our
... without doubt to
the department. if anything
further is necessary and
providing the department's
representatives think more
evidence is necessary and
set a date and give us an
opportunity to produce ...
it seems to not be the
desire of those that filed
... to employ attorneys
... but
rather that the department
... satisfactory action
... same date ...

the settlement will be
signed and when completed
it is individual claim
number is #35256

Will you kindly write me
on this subject giving me
whatever information you
have at hand and I shall
be glad to impart the same
to my wife and this
locality who has claim
of title

Very truly

A. C. Baker

W. West St.

Indpls, Indiana

address (747 Indiana Ave)

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 15 1909
No. 35256

Oct.

1019 N. West St.
Indianapolis Ind.
To whom it Concerns -

On May 28th my claim
as a participant in the Cherokee
Indian ^(Eastern) fund was rejected.

I wish to renew the application
being a Cherokee of direct descent.
Will you please send me
whatever papers necessary
for such application.

My claim number is 35256.

Respectfully.

Kate S. Harper.

No. 35257

Action: Reject

Name Geo. Carter Allum and X children. Residence: Dallas, Texas.

Reasons:

Brother of # 29207 and claims through
the same source.

35257

No

35057

Name

See Allen

With (No.

29207

Remarks:

No. 35257

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Geo. Carter Allen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1900.

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35257

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: George Carter Allen.

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Dallas Texas. Care Postal Telegraph Co.

3. County: Dallas Co.

4. State: Texas.

5. How old are you? 46 Years Born Oct 11th-1860.

6. Where were you born? Richmond Wayne Co Indiana.

7. Are you married? No.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None.

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Joseph Milton Allen.

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Charity Williams. Allen

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Ch arity Williams Kersey.

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Spickard Ind.

Mother: Spickard Ind.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August 19-1889.

Mother: Living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not th-at I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|----------|-------|
| (1) | Ann Eliza | Spickard | |
| | Charles F | Spickard | |
| (2) | Emma Semira | Spickard | |
| | William. | Spickard | |
| (3) | Mary | Spickard | |
| | Minnie | Spickard | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

* Samuel Allen William Perry

* Samuel Allen Samuel Perry

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Spickard Ind.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-------|-----------|--|
| (1) | Samuel S. | |
| (2) | John P. | |
| x (3) | Joseph S. | |
| (4) | Samuel S. | |
| (5) | Samuel S. | |
| (6) | Samuel S. | |
| x (7) | Samuel S. | |
| | Samuel S. | |
| | Samuel S. | |
| | Samuel S. | |
| | Samuel S. | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I herewith inclose copy of names of antedecents with the dates of birth and where possible, the date of death.

Showing direct descent from Hezikiah Sanders -- Martha Elmore.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

G. C. Allen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of August 1907.

W. A. Norton

Notary Public.

Dallas Co. Texas

My commission expires

May 31, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. A. Norton

and

A. E. Kearley

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with George Carter Allen.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for years and

 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Norton

A. E. Kearley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 31, 1909

W. F. Whitman

Notary Public.

Dallas Co. Tex

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

---: Copy Of Original Geneology :---

Hezekiah Sanders-- Born 8/28/1734. Died 5/21/1789.

Married Martha Elmore--Cherokee Indian Girl--
Born 9/15/1738. Died 9/8/1817.

Children:---
Born
John Sanders 3/18/1758. 12/25/1792.
Daniel " 5/9/1760.
Samuel " 3/13/1762. 11/11/1784.
Hohnath-an " 6/12/1763. 11/13/1780.
MARY " 5/2/1765. 7/4/1854.
Elizabeth " 6/27/1767.
Marth-a " 3/17/1769.
Sarah " 1/29/1773.
Rebecca " 5/1/1779.
Jemima " 9/20/1784.

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Died
DANIEL CLARK:---3/21/1759. 12/18/1812.

Married:---
MARY SANDERS:---5/2/1765. 7/4/1854.

Children:---
Marth-a Clark 8/11/1793.
Ho-h- n " 11/25/1794.
ANN " 5/23/1796. 8/26/1843.
Hezekiah " 12/20/1797. 6/11/1876.
Samuel " 10-23-1799. 6/6/1878.
Mary " 5/11/1803.
Jemima " 9/17/1807. 1/4/1810.

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HERMAN ALLEN 12/12/1791. 4/1/1858

Married:---
ANN CLARK. 5/22/1796. 8/26/1843.

Children:---
Daniel C Allen. 2/18/18-20
Joh-n P " 4/8/1821
JOSEPH MILTON " 10/16/1822.
Samuel S " 8/26/1824.
Herman H " 2/28/1826.
Julia A " 5/17/1828.
Mary S " 2/27/1830.
Nancy C 11/25/1831.
Ho-h-nathan T " 4/22/1834.
Sibbie J " 2/16/1836.
Nathan H " 7/21/1838.
Martha Emily " 3/9/1842.

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George Carter Allen.
Son of Joseph Milton Allen. Born Oct 11th-1860.

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. NOV 15 1907
No. 35257

147 Leaning Tower

Letter No. 11-11-57

Simon Miller

601 Oway Bldg

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Re Form # 35257. Can you please
inform me as to the probable time that
arrangements for this plan can be reached.
And in your opinion if my being in Washington
will in any way assist in the matter. I
am friends. There with the Associated Press
and the War Relocation Bureau. And if you
thought advisable could visit there a while.
Please send me with an early
response. And thank
you

Wendell

Very truly
George S. Allen

App. #55257.

November 16, 1907.

George Carter Allen,
197 Leonard Street,
Dallas, Texas.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of November 11, 1907, you are advised that your application has not been reached for final consideration, and we cannot state at this time whether you are entitled to share in this fund, or the amount each successful claimant will receive.

As there are over 44,000 applications on file and the claimants are widely scattered through the United States, it will necessarily take considerable time to have all of these cases adjudicated, and until they are so determined no money can be distributed.

We do not see how your being in Washington would facilitate the adjudication of your claim.

If there is any further information required in connection with your application you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COUNT OF CASH
EASTERN CHEROKEES
FEB 23 1908
No. 35257

W. C. C. Y.

FEB 26 1908

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11) Susan Miller

Special Commissioner Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

Re Claim 35257. Could you be
so kind as to inform me by return
of the progress of any land matter
in the department of these claims and what
action is being taken by any, or are entitled to
even.

I realize that you are very busy
but hope 40 years
(Re Mr. Jones application for Joseph Miller Allen)
with the benefit of all the information
in your possession and feel sure to be entitled to
the same.

Sincerely,
Yours,

Yours,

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Mem. No. 4448-1, 27.

April 14, 1948.

George W. Allen,

Dallas, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Federal Reserve fund, please state to you, your
present and former status, and whether enrolled in one of
our various classes.

Give any other information obtainable bearing on
your right to share in this fund.

In order to be eligible.

Very respectfully,

Respectfully,
Commissioner.

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UNIT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHICKEN KEES

MAY 18 1908

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Appln #35257--29207.

340 Commerce Street.

Dallas Texas. May 12th-1908.

Guion Miller, Esq;

Special Commissioner. Washington Dc.

Dear Sir:--

Your favor April 16th--Lawyer Finn, some thirty years ago, from Muskogee IT, communicated with my Father Joseph Milton Allen, and the others of his immediate relatives, and was at that time retained by them, being paid for enrolling us, and as I have always supposed we were at that time enrolled, and that our having been thus enrolled, was the only reason why we were notified to make application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

I am in receipt of the following from Lawyer Roger W Harrison Atty, of Greensboro N C, (Guilford Co, where my relatives originated from, and where our claim is plainly established; "Your letter of Apl 28th to County Recorder of Guilford Co N C, turned over to by the Register of Deeds;;

"I do not think you will find any record here of the marriage of Hezikiah Sanders and Martha Elmore (Full Blooded Cherokee woman). But the name of Hezikiah Sanders appears often on the records of transfers, and he is jointly joined by his wife, Martha, in conveying The names of Mary Sanders (Clark) and Ann Allen, also appear on the records in conveyances.

"I made only a casual examination"

We are endeavoring to locate Mr Finn, Attourney, and will soon be in possession of the authentic facts concerning this case from Muskogee.

Will you kindly reply as to the limit of time this commission permits of investigation, and greatly oblige.

Very Sincerely:----

George Carter Ewing

Please address me Care S L Ewing, 340 Commerce St and oblige.

No. *35258*
Name: *Mauda Long*, — and *X* children. Action: *Reject*
Residence: *Stroud O. Pa.*
Reasons:

Claim through the same source
at # 32559

35258

No. 5-255

Name M. L. Jones

With No. 525-39

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

Mauda Long

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: *Mauda Long (now Stephens)*
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: *Strud*
3. County: _____
4. State: *Oklahoma*
5. How old are you? *23* Born *Aug 6" 1885-*
6. Where were you born? *Cherokee Nation*
7. Are you married? *yes*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *George Stephens*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *(white)*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <i>None</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
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| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Leuel D Long

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name:

Julia Long (white)

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living*

Mother: *1890*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Father is a Cherokee allottee*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN | DIED. |
|------------|-----------------------|------------------|----------|
| #35259-(1) | <i>Ida E. Long</i> | <i>Oct. 1887</i> | <i>P</i> |
| | <i>Stroud Okla</i> | | |
| (2) | <i>Thomas Long</i> | <i>May 1889</i> | <i>P</i> |
| | <i>Stroud Okla</i> | | |
| (3) | <i>Glossie Long</i> | <i>Aug 1900</i> | <i>P</i> |
| (4) | <i>Simpson B Long</i> | <i>Aug 1904</i> | <i>P</i> |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|----------------|
| <i>Maples Long</i> | |
| <i>Mahala "</i> | |

18. Where were they born? *Mother in Tennessee*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Tennessee*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Robert H Long</i> | <i>Astor IA</i> |
| (2) | <i>Samuel D Long</i> | <i>Fairland IA</i> |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *I am a enrolled allottee*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *My Great Grand father*

John Daugherty & Elizabeth Chambers my Great Grand mother.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Mauda Long (now Stephens)*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12th* day of *August* 1907.

E. R. Anderson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 22, 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Arthur C Snow*

and *J. G. McBee*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Mauda Long (now Stephens)*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *7* years and

3 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Arthur C Snow

J. G. McBee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12th* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

March 22, 1911

E. R. Anderson
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

James L. ...
James Miller
Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *35258*, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further~~ed~~ ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~It is~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35259

Action: Reject.

Name Seta L. Long, and X children. Residence: Thousand Oaks,

Reasons:

Claims through the same source

or: #32559

35259

No. 25257

Name *St. Mary's*

With No. 30557

Remarks:

No. 137950

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

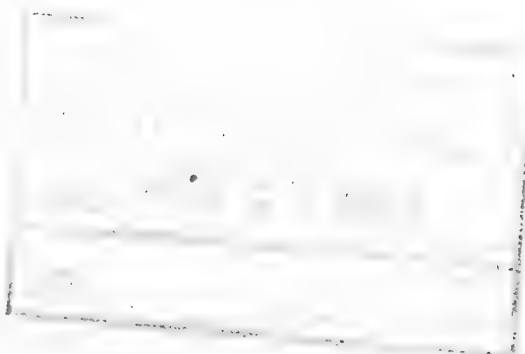
APPLICATION

OF

Ida L. Laug

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Ida L Long

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Stroud
Lincoln*

3. County:

Oklahoma

4. State:

5. How old are you?

19

Born

Oct. 1887

6. Where were you born?

Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married?

no

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

None

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Samuel D Long

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Julia Long (white)

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Tennessee

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tennessee

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Father is a Cherokee allottee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|----------|--------|
| (1) | Mauda Stephens Stroud Okla | Aug 1885 | Living |
| (2) | Thomas Loug Stroud Okla | May 1889 | " |
| (3) | Glossie Loug FAIRLAND IND. TER | Aug 1900 | " |
| (4) | Leupson B Loug FAIRLAND IND. TER | Aug 1904 | " |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Maples Loug | _____ |
| Ma-ha-La " | _____ |

18. Where were they born? Mother in Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Robert H Loug | Afton IA |
| (2) | Minnet O Loug | FAIRLAND, IND. TER |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I am a Cherokee allottee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Great Grand father was John Daugherty; and Great Grand mother was Elizabeth Chambers

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Ida Long.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

J. J. Saunders
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 10th 1911.

Parson Co & S.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Minnie Thompson

and J. E. Thompson who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ida Long

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Minnie Thompson

J. E. Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

June 16th 1907

J. J. Saunders
Notary Public.
Parson County, O.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



OFFICIAL ENVELOPE
Any person using this envelope to avoid the
payment of postage on private matter of
any kind, will be subject to a fine of
Three Hundred Dollars.

Ida L. Long,

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Mr. L. L. Love
Frank Allen

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 35257, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further~~d~~ ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35260.

Name Jessie H. Johnson and X children. Action: Reject
Residence: New Paris, Ohio.
Reasons:

1. No ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-66/1846.
3. No ancestor has lived in the Cherokee domain since 1831.
4. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

See letter. & Misc. Test. P. 1808.

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No. 35-260

Name Jessie H. Johnson

With No. 4 file

Remarks: 3669, 375-88.

35-271, 375-87.

1. No ancestor ever enrolled.
2. No ancestor living within the Cherokee domain in 1835 & 46
3. Therefore no ancestor was a party to the treaties made on those dates

No. 35250

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jesse H. Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jesse H. Johnson

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: New Paris,

3. County: Preble

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 30 years Born Nov 7, 1877

6. Where were you born? near Greenville, Clarke Co., Ohio

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John H. Johnson

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Lucinda J. Johnson

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Lucinda J. McCorn

12. Where were they born?

Father: near Lexington, Kentucky

Mother: near Flat Rock, Clark Co., Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Near Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio

Mother: do do do do do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 30, 1879

Mother: Feb 1, 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------|---|----------------|-------|
| age 47. | ✓(1) Julia Pleasant | Jan. 29, 1860. | |
| | 128, 512th St. Richmond, Ind | | |
| age 42. | ✓(2) Nancy J. Singleton | Sept 9, 1864 | |
| | 1212, S. 14th St, Springfield, Ill. | | |
| age 40. | (3) Frederick L. Johnson | Apr. 30, 1866 | |
| | Amherstburg, Ontario. | | |
| age 37 | (4) William H. Johnson | Nov 9, 1869. | |
| | Washington St., Springfield, Ill. | | |
| age 33 | (5) Joseph L. Johnson | Feb. 14, 1873. | |
| 30 | M. S. Pension Office Washington D.C. New and Ohio | Nov 7, 1876. | |
| age 28. | (6) Kathryn M. Johnson | Dec 15, 1878 | |
| | 1212, S. 14th St. Springfield, Ill. | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Joseph Johnson | Marlton M. Crown |
| Indian name not known | Indian name not known |
| Harissa Lewis Johnson | Lila Green M. Crown |
| Indian name not known | Indian name not known |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Joseph Johnson, Darke Co., Ohio
Marlton M. Crown, Greenville, Darke Co., Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) Walter Johnson | dead |
| (2) Nancy J. M. Crown | Greenville, Ohio, R.T. 14. |
| (3) Sarah Johnson Trail | Shiloh, Ind. |
| (4) William Johnson | dead |
| (5) Myrtle Johnson | Springfield, Ill. 202, S. 14th St. |
| (6) Jesse M. Crown | Springfield, Ind. |
| 7. Charles M. Crown | dead |
| 8. Alfred M. Crown | (dead) |
| 9. Lucinda M. Crown Johnson | (dead) |
| 10. Emma M. Crown Johnson | Chicago, Ill. 2119, Cass St. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great great grandfather, (on father's side) was a Cherokee Indian. My great grandmother (on mother's side) was a Cherokee Indian captured by a man named Adam Sellers, and carried to a place near

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My great great father's name (father's side) not known. My great grand father's name (mother's side) was Gabriel Greene. My great grand mother's name (father's side) was Nancy Lewis. My great grandmother's name (mother's side) was Sarah Sellers Greene.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jesse H. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of May 1907.

W. P. Phillips

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 29, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Wm B. Reid

and

John W. Wehrley

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jesse H. Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Wm B. Reid

John W. Wehrley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 19, 1910

W. P. Phillips

Notary Public.

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No. 23,214
in the matter of enrollment of Eastern Cherokees,
State of Kansas
County of Wyandotte

being by me duly sworn, deposes and says
that he has heard read the foregoing statement signed by said Applicant, that he has knowledge of the facts
therein stated and that said statement of facts is true.

John Carpenter
Subscribed and sworn to before me Aug. 27 1909.
Jonathan W. Newman
Notary Public.
my Com. Expires Oct 22 1910

[SEAL]

Cape
COURT OF CLAIMS

No. 23,214

THE EASTERN CHEROKEES
vs.
THE UNITED STATES.

EXCEPTIONS TO REPORT OF
SPECIAL COMMISSIONER

Irvin H. Johnson

Application No. 35260

W. W. WATERHOUSE and
BRITTON & GRAY

FILED
AUG 30 1909
COURT OF CLAIMS

IN DUPLICATE.

In the United States Court of Claims

THE EASTERN CHEROKEES

VS.

THE UNITED STATES.

No. 23,214.

EXCEPTIONS TO REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER QUION MILLER FILED IN THE COURT OF CLAIMS ON THE 28th DAY OF MAY, 1909, IN THE MATTER OF THE ENROLLMENT OF EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Now comes Jesse H. Johnson aged 33 years, whose P. O. Address is No. # 846 Grammer Street, City of Kansas City State of Kansas and application number is 35260 and specially excepts to said report and roll for the reason that the names filed in said application as applicants were omitted from the roll. That the grounds upon which exception is based are as follows:

That applicant was a legally descended Eastern Cherokee and entitled to participate in the division of the fund within the meaning of the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

That applicant's identity as such was legally established in the application and proof heretofore filed as well as the identity of minor children claimed for.

That the ancestor through whom claim is made was living in 1835 or ~~1851~~, and was then 50 years of age.

That the English name of said Ancestor was Sarah Green

That the Indian name of said Ancestor was Violet Papusk Winguia

Our Grand Mother was born in 1785 and was 50 years old in 1835 and was 66 in 1861 Died in 1869, 84 years

Signed at Kansas City Kansas this 24 day of August, 1909.

Jesse H. Johnson

Applicant.

W. W. WATERHOUSE,

BRETTON & GRAY,

Attorneys for Applicant.

State of Kansas ss.

County of Wyandotte

Jesse H. Johnson being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the applicant who signed the foregoing statement and that the same is true.

[SEAL]

W. A. Morris
Commission expires
(See other side)

Notary Public.

April 21st 1909

Affidavit in support of Special Exceptions of Jesse A. Johnson application
No. 35260 in the matter of enrollment of Eastern Cherokees.

.....being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he has heard read the foregoing statement signed by said Applicant, that he has knowledge of the facts therein stated and that said statement of facts is true.

[SEAL]

Notary Public.

My Com. expires Oct 22 1910

COURT OF CLAIMS

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THE EASTERY (HER)KLEES

VS.

THE UNITED STATES

EXCEPTIONS TO REPORT (I)

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER

Free of Charge

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BRITTON & GRAY AUG 30 1909

COURT OF CLAIMS
for Applications

COUNT OF CLAY
EASTERN CHEROKEE
JUN 11 1908
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846 Freeman Ave, Lawrence City, Kan

June 7, 188.

Special Commissioner Court, Orleans
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

Addressed to Mr. Paris, Meis,
Your letter of May 20, received. Have
written my relatives to find out why our forefathers
were not enrolled in 1851.

Yes, they lived with the Cherokee as recog-
nized members of their tribe. One young father's brother left
his home in Ohio and lived with the Indians
in the Indian Territory for a number of years. They
were never held as slaves.

I think it is very likely that their names
are in the roll, but we cannot trace in ancestry
back far enough to get it. He cannot find out
what was their real Indian name. He knows that
as to these people came from Eastern North Carolina
and were Cherokee descent, that our author's great
grandfather was captured by the Indians when he was
young and carried to Eastern Texas. He
did not think he made a slave, but

to prove as I have from my studies, I have

write and tell you the exact time when they
first came to this.

Very respectfully yours,

~~Wm~~ Jesse H. Johnson.

P.S. I am the above named young man's sister.
I sent in an application also, but have never
heard from it. I did not even receive a card
with my number on it. Can you tell me why?

Kathryn M. Johnson.

HWK
3-5-27

copy

NOTE.

Frederick Douglass to the Hon. Sec. of the Interior, Wash.

Dear Sir:

My name is Frederick Douglass Johnson; I am forty-
two years old, and am a resident of Dayton, Ohio, and I have
lived in Dayton for about twenty years. I was born in Stark
County, Ohio, near Greenville. My mother's maiden name is
Lucinda J. McCowan, and she married Walter Johnson, who was
born in Kentucky. My father was born in Kentucky and my mother was
born in Indiana. They are both dead. My father died in 1879;
my mother died in 1905. My mother was sixty-four years of
age when she died. I claim thoroughly grandmother on my
father's side, who was a Cherokee Indian, and her name was
Clarrissy Johnson. She lived in Stark Co., Ohio, and died there.
I do not know where my grandmother is born. She resided with
my father's tribe, but I do not know when or where. I heard
my grandmother say that my grandfather lived with the
tribe. I have heard of people saying that he was Cherokee
Indians. I never heard of anything about the statistics of I.S.
1880 and 1890. Let me say that my sister (35271) is my sister.
My grandfather is a white man who died in 1880; I think she
lived in Stark County. None of my ancestors are ever slaves;
none of my ancestors have lived with the tribe since my grand-
father, Clarrissy Johnson, died, and that was sometime prior to
1880. I have no sister or application of any kind, claiming that
my sister, Ruth Anne J. Johnson, had filed in my behalf.
Jeanne Johnson is my brother (35262); Julia J. Pleasant
(35267) is my sister; Nancy J. Pleasant (37500) is my sister;
and my brother, Smith (37501) is my cousin. They all claim
to be my grandfather. As far as I know, none of my
ancestors ever received any land or money from the Government
on account of their Indian blood. If they had received either
land or money I claim I would have had it. This is all
I can say about my Cherokee ancestry.

(Signed) Fred D. Johnson

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of May, 1908.

Frederick D. Johnson
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Dept. of Indian.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. | |
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DEC 2 1907

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Guion Miller (aw Paris 8/11/29/07

Dear Sir, My application
for my share of the \$5,000,000 as being
descended from the Cherokee's tribes of Indians
& I filed this claim in due time and
have heard nothing from it.

My sister visited here sometime in Oct.
and she could understand why we
have not proven enough.

Please inform me as to what is to be
proven and I will inform you the best
of our record.

We have family record as far back
as about 1774 - and at that time there
were no slaves among us.

A woman by the name of Mary
Scott of Deafon street Chicago Ill
is a great aunt of ours and she is
one half Indian Cherokee and her
mother was a full blood ^{Indian} captured by a
white man in the name of William
Settles about the time of 1774
and Mary Scott has made application
and you will find it some where. These
were your own - remaine to the nation.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. AUG 4 1909
No. 35260

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Kansas City, Kans.
Aug 1st 1909

Mr G. Miller;

Dear sir: Will you please send me application blanks in which I might state the age and Indian name of my ancestor from whom I expect to prove my right to the claim.

Trusting to hear from you at ^{your} earliest convenience,

Very resptly yours,

Jesse H. Johnson,

No. 33260.

May 30, 1901.

Esse H. Johnson,

Law Port, Ohio.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were
not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1881.

Did they ever live with the Cherokees as recognized
members of their tribe? Were they held as slaves? If so,
were they owned by white people or Indians?

When did your ancestors move to Ohio?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

R/ALH

No. 35261

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mollie Moore* and *5* children. Residence: *Afton, Okla.*

Reasons: *Claims through the same source as 16205.*

35261

No. 35261

Name Muller's No. 12

With No. 16205

Remarks:

No. 15301

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

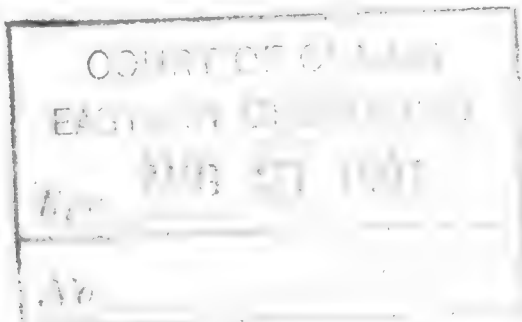
APPLICATION

OF

MOLLIE MOORE AND MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-524



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mollie Moore.

Indian name: No Indian name.

2. Residence and post office: Afton,

3. County: _____

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 43 years. Born February 28, 1864.

6. Where were you born? Near Berryville, Arkansas.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charles T. Moore, age 52 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Nora Moore,</u> | <u>24 years.</u> | <u>Nov. 1, 1882.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Walter Moore,</u> | <u>19 years.</u> | <u>Feb. 10, 1888.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Clara Dora Moore,</u> | <u>15 years.</u> | <u>May 29, 1892.</u> |
| (4) | <u>Ora Moore,</u> | <u>12 years.</u> | <u>April 6, 1895.</u> |
| (5) | <u>James W. Moore,</u> | <u>9 years.</u> | <u>Nov. 10, 1897.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Edith Edna Moore,</u> | <u>5 years.</u> | <u>Dec. 10, 1901.</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Robert Dawson.

Indian name: No Indian name.

Mother—English name: Nancy Dawson.

Indian name: No Indian name.

Maiden name: Nancy Mc Murray.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Old Cherokee Nation, Tennessee.

Mother: In Arkansas.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Berryville, Arkansas.

Mother: In Tennessee.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1887.

Mother: About 1887.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cannot Answer.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|------------------------------------|---|----------|------------------------|
| Full brothers and sisters | (1) Jas. R. Dawson, | 1856. | Res. Afton, I.T. |
| | (2) Wilburn Dawson, | 1866. | " " " " |
| | (3) (4) Edna Mayberry, | 1860. | " Talala, I.T. |
| | (4) Tennessee Dawson, | 1858. | 1861. |
| | (5) (3) Granby Dawson, | 1862. | About 1870. |
| Half brothers and sisters | (6) Elbert Dawson, | Unknown. | Unknown. |
| | (7) (4) Samuel Riley Dawson, | " | " |
| | (8) Jasper Dawson, | " | " |
| | (9) Betsy A. Dawson, | " | " |
| | (10) (5) Josephine Pierce, | " | " |
| | (11) F. M. Dawson, | " | Residence, Afton, I.T. |
| | (12) (6) John Dawson, | " | " Wasson, I.T. |
| | (13) Joe Dawson, | " | " Afton, I.T. |
| | (14) Jane Blasingame, | " | " Cedar Valley, Mo. |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Samuel Dawson, Indian name
unknown.

Joe Mc Murray, no Indian name.

Annie Mc Murray, no Indian name.

Polly Rogers Dawson, Indian
name unknown.

18. Where were they born? Cannot answer.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cannot answer.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's side:

(1) Robert Dawson (dead)

(2) James Dawson (dead)

(3) John Dawson (dead)

(4) Joseph Dawson (dead)

(5) Riley Dawson (dead)

(6) Betsy Dawson (dead)

(7) Edna Mc Ghee (dead)

Mother's side:

(8) Nancy Dawson (dead). On this
side they were not Indians and I
could not give definite answers.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 1883 at Tahlequah, I.T., Ballard School House, date unknown, Afton, I.T., date unknown, with Cherokee tribe or Nation.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: The mother of Polly Rogers Dawson was Acy Vann, a half sister of Joe Vann, all Cherokees.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mollie Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

J. C. Barry
Notary Public.

My commission expires
September 5th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M. A. Tallon
and R. A. Judd, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Mollie Moore
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. A. Tallon
R. A. Judd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires
September 5th, 1908.

J. C. Barry
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 4 1909
No. 35261

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Supper at the hotel
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N. W. I have a great
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August 1948
Enrico Miller
1000 1/2 1st Avenue - 601 6th
Arlington Heights, Ill.
Dear Mr. Miller:
I have just received your letter
of the 12th. I am sorry I have
not been able to write you
before. I am very busy at the
present time. I will be glad
to hear from you again.
Very truly,
R. H. Miller

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. DEC 27 1909

No. 25761

LAW OFFICE OF
J. S. ESTES
327-8 LEE BLDG.

Oklahoma City, Okla.,

12-23-9.

Hon. Guyon Miller,

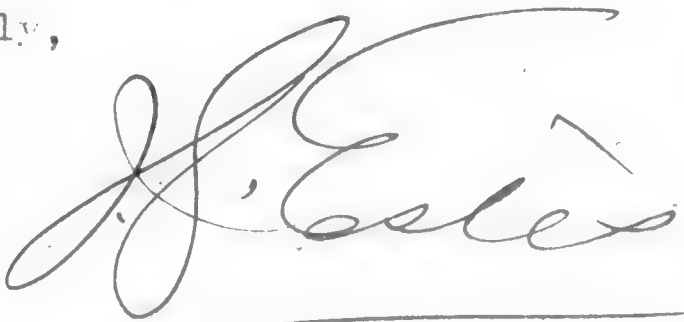
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Yours of 7 inst. to Mrs. Mollie Moore of this city
has been referred to me ^{by her} for answer. In reply beg to say that if any
any other or further evidence in the matter of the Mollie
Moore Claim is needed, beg to say that same will be forth
coming.

I believe there is merit in the claim; that same is
legitimate and trust that success will be the result.

Yours truly,



Application No. 35261

App. No. 35261.

December 7, 1909.

Mrs. Mollie Moore,
211 W. Choctaw St.,
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of December 1, 1909, you are advised that the exception you have filed in your case will be considered in its regular order, but it will probably be some time before the decision in any particular case, in which an exception has been filed, will be announced.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No., for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~It~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 35262

Action: Reject

Name John C. Smith and 6 children. Residence: McFall, Ala

Reasons:

Son of Mary S. A. Smith (32624) and
claims through her.

35262

No 35262-63,

Name

With No. 32624

Remarks:

John C. Smith

John A. "

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See #36487
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#32624
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

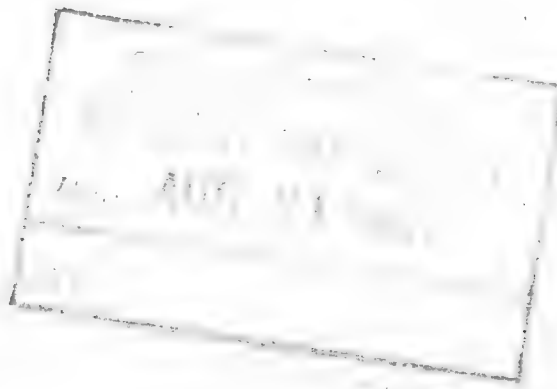
APPLICATION

OF

John C. Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*T. Ben Kerr, Atty.
Piedmont, Ala.*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: John Columbus Smith
Indian name: No Indian name I know of
2. Residence and post office: McGill, Ala. | send my mail to agent, near
3. County: Caldwell
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 36 Born May 29, 1871
6. Where were you born? Caldwell County, Ala.
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Emma Smith
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mamie Smith</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Sep. 1893</u> |
| (2) | <u>Minnie E. Smith</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>Sep. 19, 1875</u> |
| (3) | <u>Elbert L. Smith</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>May 20, 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>Myrtle Smith</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>Nov. 1901</u> |
| (5) | <u>Ernest Smith</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>May 1903</u> |
| (6) | <u>Enad D. Smith</u> | <u>18 months</u> | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Smith
Indian name: He is a white man
Mother—English name: Mary Sarah Agall Smith
Indian name: Mary S. A. Elliott
Maiden name: Elliott

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia
Mother: Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father :

Mother :

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mo

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

25)

(6)

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE

All Indian ancestry
on my Father's side

Robert H. 2nd m.
Elliot, and it is traced
by my Mother's line & is, I think
a blood Indian, or half

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Elliot Acab Goldstein

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I am a son of Mary Sara
Gall Smith

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness
Ed W. Makeley

(Signature)

John Columbus Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

Ed W. Makeley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 24th, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Makeley

and J. C. Moore

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John Columbus Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 24 years and

14 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Makeley
J. C. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March 24th, 1908

Notary Public.

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No. 35263

Action: Reprint

Name William H. Smith and X children. Residence: McFall, Ala.

Reasons:

Son of Mary S. A. Smith (32624) and claims
through her.

35263

#34556

#8670-11-16-17

#257

#95262

#32624

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William A. Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 23, 1906.

6-624

J. Ben Kerr, Atty.
Piedmont, Ala.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | no children | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not from then

Father: Not from then

Mother: Not from then

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living, and he filed Application

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John B. Smith | | |
| (2) | Eugene M. Smith | | |
| (3) | James W. Smith | | |
| (4) | Marshall A. Smith | | |
| (5) | Mrs. Georgia L. Martin | | |
| (6) | William L. Smith | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

no Indignancestry
on my father's side.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jacob Goetz
Ellis H. and it is through
my claim, was Cherokee
Indian or host

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Don't know

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jacob Goldstein
Elliott

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a son of Mary Jane
Agall Smith

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Henry Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug. 1907.

E. W. C. C. C.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

24th Dec., 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John P. M.

and _____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William Henry Smith

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

_____ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John P. M.

D. J. Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

24th day of Dec. 1908 E. W. C. C. C.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Power of
Attorney
To -

To -
Ciedmont, Ala.

From
William H. Smith,
and
John C. Smith.

AUG 21 1908

My commission expires
21st day of March 1908

see on this to day and year last
when written.

E. H. Lee
Notary Public.

Power, of the rev.

County, Alabama, }
 versus County. }

[illegible]

and I am hereby authorized to do and execute all such
acts and things as may be necessary to the
execution of the purposes of the
trust hereby (as fully to all intents
and purposes as in writing could
be if personally present to do any
act; and I am hereby authorized by so doing
jointly and severally to receive
into his possession and control,
as direct to the payments of
said to "I am hereby authorized for
and from the Government of the
United States of America, and
its agents, any money, checks, drafts,
warrants or vouchers issued in
settlement of our Eastern, Green-
land, Indian claims; and I am
hereby authorized, jointly and severally,
to sign our names to all drafts,
warrants, vouchers, checks
and receipts, and all other neces-
sary papers in the execution or
settlement of our said Eastern
and Indian claims.

Very respectfully,
over

firming all that T. B. W. is your
attorney, shall lawfully and
can & to do so in the best
interests of the

All your mail relating to
 our Western European Indian
 Quins we direct the title sent to
 Edmund, as in our 7th letter
 our attempt.

In Testimony Whereof
have resorted to set out, and
and see, on this the 24th
August, nineteen hundred and
seven.

William Henry Smith
John Leitch ^W ~~X~~ Smith

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Michael
E. Duff

State, relations
in our country.

Be it known that
on this 21st day, August nineteen
hundred and seven, before me, the under-
signed, a Notary Public in and for said
State and County personally appeared
(OVER)

William Henry Smith, and
John Columbus Smith
to me made known to be identical
persons who counted to a going home
attorney, and to some having been first
read over to them, and to content of
fully explained to each one of them, ac-
knowledge to same to be their act
and deed. I have no interest,
no rent or no objection in their
doing.

In testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and
seal on this day and year last
above written.

E. D. Green
Notary Public.

My commission expires on
24th day of March 1908

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The new
C. Smith
C. Smith
William H. Smith
John C. Smith



No. 35264

Action: Rejected

Name: Maud L. H. B. Porter and 2 children.

Residence: Redondo, Cal.

Reasons:

Not carrier of #16238

35264

No. 5264
Name Mand H. F. S. Voss
With No. 16258
Remarks:

1st cons. 167-1

No. 15961

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Maud J. H. F. B. Porter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1906, and May 20, 1906

6-624



W. H. Robeson

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Maud Irene Forehand Haigher, Porter* ^{Broder}

Indian name: *none*

2. Residence and post office: *Redondo Cal.*

3. County: *San Angeles Co.*

4. State: *California*

5. How old are you? *38 yrs* Born *Dec. 21st 1871.*

6. Where were you born? *Travis Co. Texas.*

7. Are you married? *Yes.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *George Porter 36 yrs.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *none*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------|---------------|------------------|
| (1) | <i>Glenn Kenneth</i> | <i>17 yrs</i> | <i>Sept 24/1</i> |
| (2) | <i>Brodie</i> | | |
| (3) | <i>Welford Brodie</i> | <i>15 yrs</i> | <i>May 3rd</i> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *William H. Forehand.*

Indian name: *no c.*

Mother—English name: *Oliver Tully Haigher.*

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: *Oliver Tully.*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Michigan*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Here not born

Mother: Here not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-------------|-------------------------------|----------|-------|
| # 35265-(1) | John H. Fordland | Aug. 16 | 1873 |
| # 35266-(2) | Grace Fordland Haigler Harris | March 22 | 1875 |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | Harold S. Haigler | Feb. 5 | 1880 |
| (5) | Claude L. Haigler | Nov. 28 | 1882 |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Fordland

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Harris
Indian Name (Cokeloe)

18. Where were they born? My Grandparents were born in Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Here living in Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | John C. Haigler | Died May 25 1907 |
| (2) | Belle L. Haigler | Died Feb. 5 1884 |
| (3) | Hattie T. Haigler | Travis Co. Texas |
| (4) | Ulice L. Haigler | Los Angeles Co. Cal. |
| (5) | Richard C. Haigler | 1108 Bonita Ave. |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Understood our
uncle J. C. Tucker enrolled us before his death*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*my Grandmothers
Indian name was Okeloe English name
Beliah Vann.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*my Grandmother told me she was expecting
to get her rights some day a claim as an
Indian claim belonged to her, she wanted
all of us children to have our share.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Maud Irene Torbush Hargis Brodie Porter*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *Aug.* 1907.

J. Irving McKenna
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 28, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

C. O. Fariss

and

Cam Hargis

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Maud Irene Torbush Hargis Brodie Porter

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her for *12* years and

one years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. O. Fariss

Mrs Carrie Hargis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 28, 1907

J. Irving McKenna
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35265

Action: Rejected

Name John H. Grayhead and 1 children.

Residence: Canon Park, Col.

Reasons:

1st cousin of # 35264

35265

No. 55265735266

Name

With No. 55264

Remarks:

4 in. Larchwood
4 in. H. Barren

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No. 350005

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John H. Fairhead

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

W. H. Roberts

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------|--------|-------|
| (1) | Flora May Foxhand | 9 yrs. | 1897 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: *Wm.*

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living in Texas

Mother: living in Redondo California

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: U.S.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|--------|-------|
| (1) | Maudie Foxman/Porter | Dec 21 | 1871 |
| (2) | John Foxman | Aug 16 | 1873 |
| (3) | Cordelia Gray Foxman | Mar 22 | 1875 |
| (4) | Harold Waigler | Feb 6 | 1880 |
| (5) | Claude Waigler | Nov 28 | 1882 |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>John Foxman</u> | <u>Deliah Vanne Tulk</u> |
| <u>not known</u> | <u>Indian name Cakela</u> |

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? were living in Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | John C. Tulk | Musogee T.T. |
| (2) | Bele Tulk Waigler | Dead. |
| (3) | Hattie Tulk | Proctor Travis Co Tex. |
| (4) | Alice Tulk | Redondo Cal. |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: we understood our

uncle J. C. Fulk enrolled us.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Grand mother

Indian name was Ackeloe, English

name Deliah Vann

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grand mother told me she had
an Indian Claim coming to her but
she would not live to enjoy it but some day
she hoped her children & Grand children would

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John A. Fulk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of August 1907.

B. G. Fulk

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 12th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Thomas Nimons

and

J. E. Lincoln

who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John A. Fulk

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and

2 1/2 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thomas Nimons

J. E. Lincoln

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 12th, 1908.

B. G. Fulk

Notary Public.

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No. 35266.

Action: *Rejected*

Name: *Gay D. H. Harris* and *X* children. Residence: *Redondo, Cal.*

Box 386

Reasons:

1st Convict of # 1622

35266

No. 50285

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Fay F.H. Farris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W.D. Robinson

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Fay Forehand Haigler Fariss.

Indian name:

None.

2. Residence and post office:

P.O. Box 396, #257 Emerald St. Redondo Cal.

3. County:

Los Angeles Co.,

4. State:

California

5. How old are you?

32 yrs Born *March 22, 1875.*

6. Where were you born?

Travis Co. Austin Tex.

7. Are you married?

Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Irwan C. Fariss Age 32 yrs.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William D. Forehand

Indian name:

None.

Mother—English name:

Alice Tulp Haigler

Indian name:

None.

Maiden name:

Alice Tulp

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

Tuckabache S. Tex.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Here not born.

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living in

Mother: Living in

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Maudie Freeman | Dec. 21st | 1871 |
| | Haigler Porter | | |
| (2) | John Freeman | Aug. 16 | 1873 |
| | | | |
| (3) | Fay Haigler | March 22 | 1875 |
| | Frederick Haigler | | |
| (4) | Harold Haigler | Feb. 3rd | 1880 |
| | | | |
| (5) | Clair Haigler | Nov. 28 | 1882 |
| | All were born in Travis Co. Texas. | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Freeman

Leitchman

18. Where were they born? Grandparents were born in Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Here living in S. Tex.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|--------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | Frederick | Died May 23 1907. |
| (2) | Belle Sulp Haigler | Died Feb. 5 1884. |
| (3) | Hattie Sulp Brodie | now lives in |
| (4) | Travis Co. Texas. | |
| (5) | Clair Haigler | lives in Los Angeles |
| (6) | Co. Calif. | Redondo Cal 108 Banta Ave. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Understood our
uncle J. C. Tulkenville do as before his death.*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*My Grand mother
Indian name was Ockelwe.
English name Deliah Varn.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*My Grandmother told me she had an
Indian Claim coming to her but she would not
live to enjoy it but some day she hoped her children
and grand children would live to receive their share.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fay Forehand Haugler Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10

day of

Aug

1907.

Johnny McKenna
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 28th

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. O. Farns

and

George Porter

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Fay Forehand Haugler Thomas

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her

for

14

years and

3 years, respectively, and know

her

to be the identical person

she

represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by

her

are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

this

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. O. Farns

George Porter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

Dec 28th

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Johnny McKenna
Notary Public.

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No. 35267

Action: Admitted.

Name: Moses L. Marries and 10 children.

Residence: Keokuk Iowa.

Reasons: First Cousin once removed of # 2289.

Parents of applicant not living
in 1861

35267

No. 55267

Name ~~Moss~~ Moris

With No. 2889.

Remarks:

United States Court

Indian Territory,

NORTHERN DISTRICT

Administrator's Letters

ESTATE OF

NANCY HARRIS

Deceased.

Recorded in Administrator's Record

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CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk,

By F. W. CLIFT, Deputy.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

CLARENORE DISTRICT.

INDIAN TERRITORY

ss.

I, Chas. A. Davidson Clerk of the United States Court within and for the Northern District of the Indian Territory do hereby Certify that the within and foregoing copy of letters of Administration is truly taken and correctly copied from the records and files of my office at Claremore I.T.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Court at Claremore I.T. this 17th day of September 1907.

Chas. A. Davidson Clerk.

F. W. Clift

Deputy.

Letters of Administration

United States of America, }
INDIAN TERRITORY, NORTHERN DISTRICT }

The President of the United States of America,

To all Persons to whom these Presents shall Come—Greeting:

Know Ye, that Whereas Nancy Harris
..... of the Northern District of the Indian Territory, died
intestate, as it is said, on or about the 5th day of October A. D.
1906, having at the time of her death personal property in the Northern District of the Indian
Territory which may be lost, destroyed or diminished in value, if speedy care be not taken of the same;
to the end, therefore, that the said property may be collected, preserved and disposed of according to
law, we do hereby appoint Thos. W. Hensel of said Northern
District of the Indian Territory, administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights
and credits which were of the said Nancy Harris at
the time of her death, with full power and authority to dispose of the said property according to law,
and to collect all moneys due the said deceased, and in general to do and perform all other acts
and things which are or hereafter may be required of him by law.

Witness The Honorable Joseph A. Gill Judge
of the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian
Territory, and the seal thereof, at Claremore
in the Indian Territory, this 10th day of
February A. D. 1907

(Seal)

CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk.

By T. W. Gill Deputy.

United States Court

Indian Territory,

NORTHERN DISTRICT

Administrator's Letters

ESTATE OF

NANCY HARRIS

Deceased.

Recorded in Administrator's Record

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CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk,

By *I. V. CLEFT*, Deputy.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
NORTHERN DISTRICT.
INDIAN TERRITORY ss.

I, Chas. A. Davidson Clerk of the United States Court within and for the Northern District of the Indian Territory do hereby Certify that the within and foregoing copy of letters of Administration~~x~~ is truly taken and correctly copied from the records and files of my office at Claremore I.T.

Witness my hand and the Seal of this Court at Claremore I.T. this 27th day of September 1907.

Chas. A. Davidson Clerk.

M. H. Cleft
Deputy.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Morris
Moses S. Morris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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1-7-57

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due ^{my minor children} of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Moses L. Morris

Indian name: D I

2. Residence—

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|---------------|------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| <u>135268</u> | (1) <u>Mancy J. Morris</u> | | <u>June 5 1885</u> |
| <u>69.</u> | (2) <u>Sarah C. Cobb</u> | | <u>Dec 12 1887</u> |
| | (3) <u>John W. Morris</u> | <u>19</u> | <u>Dec 1888</u> |
| | (4) <u>Charles T. Morris</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>Apr 1891</u> |
| | (5) <u>Delia M. Morris</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Oct 1892</u> |
| | (6) <u>Mary L. Morris</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>May 1894</u> |

11. Give names of ^{their} your father and mother, and ^{their} your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Moses L. Morris

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary J. Morris

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary J. Martin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mills

Mother: Cherokee Nation West.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due ^{my minor children} of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Moses, S. Morris

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Keefe Town

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Ind. Ter.

5. How old are you? 57 Born 1856

6. Where were you born? Miss.

7. Are you married? I am a widower

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife Mary J. Morris

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

| | age | Born |
|----------------------|----------|--------|
| 7 Lessie M. Morris | 12 - May | 1895 - |
| 8 Annie S. Mar. | 9 Oct. | 1897 |
| 9 Bertha S. Morris | 7 May | 1900 |
| 10 Elouise D. Morris | 5 Feb | 1902 |
| 11 Maud S. Morris | 5 Feb | 1902 |
| 12 Pearl Lee Morris | 3 July | 1904 |

Father—English name: same as above Dec 10 - 1856

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary J. Morris

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary J. Martin

12. Where were they born?

Father: Miss.

Mother: Cherokee Nation West.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *before his birth*

Mother: *before her birth*
then

14. Date of death of ~~your~~ father and mother:

Father: *Living P.O. Keefau 2 T*

Mother: *died Oct. 11th 1906*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *then mother on the Cherokee rolls, and a Cherokee allottee*

16. Name all ~~your~~ ^{her} brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Charles Martin</i> <i>P.O. Keefau 2 T</i> | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of ~~your~~ ^{their} grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>H. Morris</i> | <i>Joseph Martin</i> |
| <i>Emilia Morris</i> | <i>Emiline Martin</i> |

18. Where were they born? *their grand ma. Cherokee nation*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *their grand ma -*
Delaware District, Cherokee nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Em</i> | |
| (2) | <i>Mary 2 Morris</i> | <i>Living</i> |
| (3) | <i>Charles Martin</i> | <i>P.O. Keefau 2 T</i> |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

- They*
21. Have ~~you~~ ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *on the Cheick rolls and Cheick allotment. Cheick Matthe*
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *My Deceased Wifes Grand Parents on her Mothers Side Was James Fields and Jane Fields*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Wife died Oct 11-06 leaving the children where names appear on this application are Miners but Mary & Pharis & Sarah & Lott

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Moses L. Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *August* 1907.

J. F. Sparrow

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 190*8*.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

B. L. Jordan

and

A. C. Brown

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Moses L. Morris*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *24* years and

24 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. L. Jordan

A. C. Bradshaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 24, 190*8*.

J. F. Sparrow

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35268.

Action: Admitted.

Name: Nancy J. Harris and 2. children. Residence: Muskogee Okla.

Reasons: First Cousin of # 2284, { once removed. }

Parents of applicant not living in
1851

35268

No. 5568-5569

Name

With No. 555-7

Remarks:

None - 555-7
X 555-7

No. 35204
1st Series - 1st
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

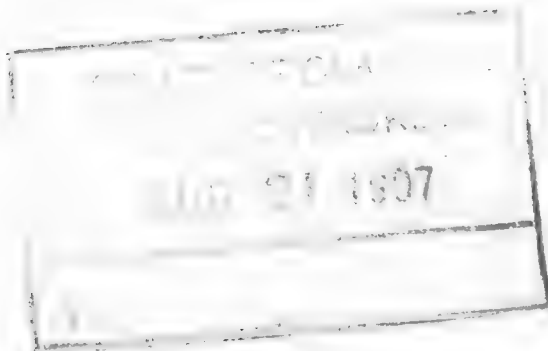
APPLICATION

OF

Mancy J Harris

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



35204

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| (1) | Frank Harris | 3 | Nov 29 1903 |
| (2) | Therrie Harris | 2 | April 5 1905 |
| (3) | Louie Harris | not at home | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *before his birth*

Mother: *before her birth*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living P.O. Kefton 2 T*

Mother: *died Oct-11-1906*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *Mother on Cherokee rolls and was a Cherokee allottee*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|
| (1) | <i>Sarah C. Keft</i> | <i>1897- P.O. Muscogee 2 T</i> | |
| 2 | <i>John W. Morris-Doe</i> | <i>1888 Kefton 2 T</i> | |
| (3) | <i>Charles T. Morris-Alice</i> | <i>1891 Kefton 2 T</i> | |
| 4 | <i>Delia M. Morris-</i> | <i>Oct-1892 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (5) | <i>Myrtle M. Morris-</i> | <i>May 1894 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| 6 | <i>Lessie M. Morris-</i> | <i>May 1895 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (7) | <i>Hunie D. Morris-</i> | <i>Oct 1897 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| 8 | <i>Bertha D. Morris</i> | <i>May 1900 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (9) | <i>Clara D. Morris</i> | <i>Feb 1902 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| 10 | <i>Maud C. Morris</i> | <i>Feb 1902 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| (11) | <i>Reese L. Morris</i> | <i>Aug 1904 "</i> | <i>"</i> |
| 12 | <i>Arthur A. Morris</i> | <i>Aug 10-1906 "</i> | <i>"</i> |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|----------------------|
| <i>H. Morris</i> | <i>Joseph Martin</i> |

| | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Emiline Morris</i> | <i>Emiline Martin</i> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|

18. Where were they born? *Grand Ma. Martin, Cherokee Nation*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grand Ma Martin
Delewan District, Cherokee Nation*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *Mary J. Morris* *died Oct-11-1906*

(2) *Charles Martin* *P.O. Kefton 2 T*

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: on an Cherokee rolls
since my birth, Cherokee Nation & tribe

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of
their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great-grand

Parents on Matthews Side were
James Fields and Jane Fields

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy J. Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

J. F. Spaw
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 26, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. L. Jordan
and A. C. Bradshaw, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Nancy J. Harris
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 22 years and
22 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. L. Jordan
A. C. Bradshaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 26, 1911. J. F. Spaw
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35269.

Action: Admitted.

Name Sarah C. Cobb and X children.

Residence: Muskegees Okla.

Reasons: First cousin once removed of # 2289.

Parents not living in 1867.

35269

1st Bureau case
Serial # 2289.
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

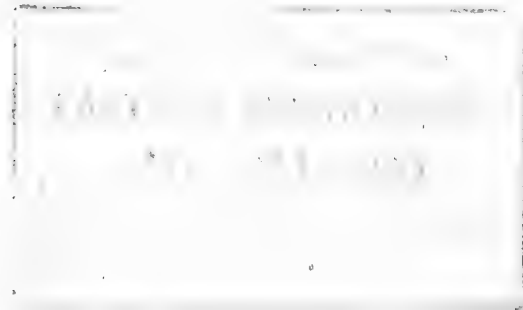
APPLICATION

OF

Sarah C. Cobb

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Sarah E. Cobb

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Muscogee 2 T

3. County:

Cherokee Nation

4. State:

Ind Ter

5. How old are you?

20 yrs

Born

1887

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

James E. Cobb

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

None

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Moses E. Morris

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary J. Morris

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary J. Martin

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mississippi

Mother:

Cherokee Nation Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *before his birth*

Mother: *before her birth*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Dying, P.O. Keefeton 2 T*

Mother: *died Oct-11-1906*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: *Mother on the Cherokee rolls. and was a checker settler*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary 2 Morris</i> | <i>June 5 1885</i> | |
| | <i>Muskegon 2 T.</i> | | |
| (2) | <i>John W. Morris</i> | <i>Dec 1888</i> | <i>Keefeton 2 T</i> |
| 3 | <i>Charles T. Morris</i> | <i>April 1891</i> | " " |
| (4) | <i>Delia M. Morris</i> | <i>Oct 1892</i> | " " |
| 5 | <i>Myrtle M. Morris</i> | <i>May 1894</i> | " " |
| (6) | <i>Dessie M. Morris</i> | <i>May 1895</i> | " " |
| 7 | <i>Annie S. Morris</i> | <i>Oct 1897</i> | " " |
| (8) | <i>Bertha S. Morris</i> | <i>May 1900</i> | " " |
| 9 | <i>Clara D. Morris</i> | <i>Feb 1902</i> | " " |
| (10) | <i>Marion C. Morris</i> | <i>Feb 1902</i> | " " |
| 11 | <i>Pease Lee Morris</i> | <i>July 1904</i> | " " |
| 12 | <i>Arthur S. Morris</i> | <i>Aug 10 - 1906</i> | " " |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE. *H. Morris* MOTHER'S SIDE. *Joseph Martin*

Emeline Morris *Emeline Martin*

18. Where were they born? *on Mother's side, Cherokee nation*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Grand Ma Martin Delaware District, Cherokee nation near*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Mary 2 Morris died Oct-11-1906*
- (2) *Charles Martin P.O. Wineta 2 T*
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: on all Cherokee rolls

since my list, Cherokee Nation & Trib.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great-grand Parent.

on Mothers side was James Fields
& Jane Fields

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah C Cobb

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

J. S. Gibson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 26, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B L Jordan

and A B Bradshaw, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Sarah C Cobb

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B L Jordan
A B Bradshaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 26, 1908

J. S. Gibson
Notary Public.

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No. 35270.

Action: Admitted.

Name *Ida M. Daugherty* and *x* children. Residence: *Idaho, Okla*

Reasons: *Daughter of Henry and James through same source*

35270

No. 71

Name.....

With No. 1619

Remarks:

Laugher, J. F. 2557

No. 5210

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

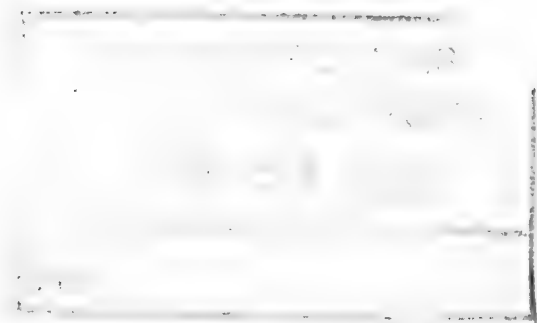
APPLICATION

OF

John M. Laughlin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



2557

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Jla M^cLaughlin
English name: _____
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Adair
3. County: 5th Rec. Dist Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind. Ter
5. How old are you? 26 Born Sept 6-1880
6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation, Ind Ter
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: J. E. M^cLaughlin
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Marcella M^cLaughlin
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Marcella Davis

12. Where were they born?
Father: Cherokee Nation
Mother: In Kentucky

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Beatty's Prairie Delaware & Cherokee Nation

Mother:

Not living in '85

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Jan - 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Father has drawn in all Cherokee payments since 1851. Has allotted moneys as Cherokee filed at Tahlequah in 1904 July 28

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------|----------------|--------|
| (1) | Maggie Arp Cherokee City Ark | | Living |
| (2) | W. B. McLaughlin Adair, Mo. | Sept 27 - 1895 | Living |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

Andrew McLaughlin
Elizabeth McLaughlin

MOTHER'S SIDE

George Davis
Elizabeth Davis

18. Where were they born?

Father's side North Carolina Mother's side Kentucky

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father's side in Cherokee Nation, I.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Annie McLaughlin Chick | Dead |
| (2) | Jas. L. McLaughlin | " |
| (3) | Andrew McLaughlin Jr | " |
| (4) | Mary Jane McLaughlin - Texas | " |
| (5) | Geo. McLaughlin | " |
| (6) | Wm. B. McLaughlin | " |
| | Joshua E. McLaughlin | Pennsylvania, U.S. |

(7) Joseph J. McLaughlin
(8) Charles L. McLaughlin
(9) Benjamin R. McLaughlin
(10) Caroline Jones nee McLaughlin
(11) Rachel A. McLaughlin

Estella, Ind Ter.
Dead
"
L. L. Remore, Ind Ter.
Dead

- (9) Benjamin K. McLaughlin
- (10) Caroline Jones nee McLaughlin
- (11) Rachel Donaldson nee "
- (12) Elizabeth Sturdivant nee "
- (13) Leo Davis
- (14) John Davis
- (15) Gibson Davis
- (16) Louis Davis
- (17) Minnie Smith nee Davis
- (18) Janmie Smith nee "

"
 Claremont, Ind. Tex.
 Dead.
 Cherokee City, Ark.
 Vinita, Ok.
 Mayan, Ariz.

Mayan Ariz.
 Kansas City, Kan.
 Dead.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

For Strip money in 89, arvinita and Gross money
Has allotment as Cherokee, filed July 28-1904 at Tahlequah, Ok.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Father Joshua E. McLaughlin
Grand father Andrew McLaughlin

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father's number in this payment is 4567

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th

day of

August

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 7-1910

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

Sallie Butler who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 17 years and
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert Skebb
Sallie Butler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

15th

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

May 7-1910

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Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35271

Action: Reject

Name Katherine M. Johnson and X children. Residence: Springfield, Ill.

Reasons:

Sister of # 35260 and claims through the same source.

35271

Sister.

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Kathryn M. Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

K. M. Johnson

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Hathyn M. Johnson

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Springfield - 1212 South 14th St.

3. County: Sangamon

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 28 years Born Dec. 15, 1878

6. Where were you born? near Greenville, Larkie County, O.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: —

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: —

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------|----------|----------|
| (1) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| (2) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| (3) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| (4) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| (5) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| (6) | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: —

Father—English name: Walter Johnson

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Lucinda J. Johnson

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Lucinda J. McCoun

12. Where were they born?

Father: near Lexington Kentucky

Mother: near Flat Rock, Rush County, Ind.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: near Greenville, Darke County, Ohio
Mother: do do do do do

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 30, 1879
Mother: Oct. 1, 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|---------|--|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Julia Pleasant | Jan. 29, 1860 | |
| age 47. | 528 S. 12 th St. Richmond, Ind. | | |
| (2) | Nancy J. Singleton | Sept. 9, 1864 | |
| age 42. | 1212 S. 14 th St. Springfield, Ill. | | |
| (3) | Frederick L. Johnson | Apr. 30, 1866 | |
| age 40. | Amherstburg, Ontario | | |
| (4) | William H. Johnson | Nov. 9, 1869 | |
| age 37 | Washington St. Springfield, Ill. | | |
| (5) | Joseph L. Johnson | Feb. 14, 1873 | |
| age 33. | M.D. Pension Office Washington D.C. | | |
| (6) | Jesse H. Johnson | Nov. 7, 1876 | |
| age 30 | New Paris, Ohio | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Joseph Johnson | Jarleton M ^c Cown |
| Indian name not known | Indian name not known |
| Clara Lewis Johnson | Emma Greene M ^c Cown |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Joseph Johnson - Darke County, C.
Jarleton M^cCown - near Greenville, Darke County, C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|------|--------------------------------|--|
| (1) | Walter Johnson | (Dead) |
| (2) | Nancy J. M ^c Cown | Greenville, Ohio R.F.D. #8 |
| (3) | Sarah Johnson Trail | Shirley, Ind. |
| (4) | Tillman Johnson | (Dead) |
| (5) | Nyall Johnson | Springfield, Ill. 1202 S. 14 th St. |
| (6) | Jesse M ^c Cown | Shartansburg, Ind. |
| (7) | Charles M ^c Cown | (Dead) |
| (8) | Alfred M ^c Cown | (Dead) |
| (9) | Lucinda M ^c Johnson | Dead |
| (10) | Emma M ^c Holland | Chicago, Ill. 2919 Leaborn St. |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great great grand father (on father's side) was a Cherokee Indian. My great grandmother (on mother's side) was a Cherokee Indian captured by a man named Sellers and carried to a place near Richmond, Va.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My great grand father's name (father's side) not known. My great grandfather's name (mother's side) was Gabriel Greene. My great grandmother's name on father's side was Nancy Lewis. My great grandmother's name on mother's side was Sarah Sellers Greene.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Kathryn M. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of August, 1907.

Ed O'Herry
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 20th, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Jason Brundage
and Sarah L. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Kathryn M. Johnson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and 28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jason Brundage
Sarah L. Smith

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My commission expires

April 20th, 1909

Ed O'Herry
Notary Public.

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UNIT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JUN 22 1908
NO. 35271

84 Freeman Ave, Kansas City Kan.
June 17, 1908.

Mr. Edwin Miller
Washington, D. C.

35251

Dear Sir:

Your letter is at hand. Thanks for
the information given me.

In regard to the time my forebears
moved from North Carolina and Virginia, my
paternal grandmother left North Carolina before
the year 1831, and came to a place near Lexing-
ton Ky. It was there that she met and married
my Grandfather Johnson. In 1836 they moved
to Indiana, and a few years thereafter to Ohio,
where they remained until they died.

My own mother was born in Rush Co, Ind.
in 1848. Her grandmother the woman who
was captured by Indian Sellers of Virginia never
left there that we know of. Her children, of
whom there were several, must have come to
Eastern Indiana and western Ohio sometime
before 1848, since that is the date of my mother's
birth. I hope this information will be sufficient

and will serve as an assistant in getting
my own share, as well as my brother's.

Very truly yours,

William M. Johnson.

7-5-9

1917.

June 17, 1917.

Catherine L. Johnson,
841 Freeman Ave.,
Memphis, Tenn.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to the postcard received from you
re: letter of the 9th instant I beg to inform you that
your application is on file in this office and that
The card was sent you last December and returned to this
office by the post office authorities at Memphis, Tenn.

Very truly yours,

Special Agent in Charge.

Chief Clerk.

cc: 100.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 10 1909
No. 25271

409, N. 7th St. Grand Forks, N. Dak.

July 7, 1909,

Mr. Guion Miller:-

Special Commissioner Court of Claims,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Several have received notice that their claims to special appropriation for money for Eastern Cherokees, had been rejected, unless they could give their Indian name and prove that if it is not on roll, that it had been omitted from the roll.

I have succeeded in getting ~~my~~ the Indian name of my maternal great grandmother. Her daughter, Mrs. Mary S. Moore, 29th & Dearborn Sts, Chicago, is living, and says her mother's name was Violet Greenwood.

You have never sent me a card, giving the number of my claim, but you have written my sisters and brothers, and I should like to hear something for myself.

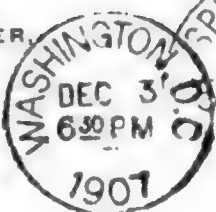
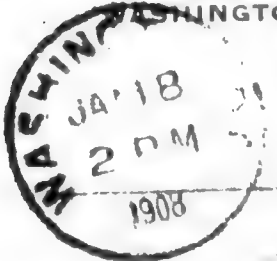
My original address was New Paris, Ohio, but now it is 846, Freeman Ave. Kansas City, Kan. Am spending ~~summer~~ at above named address. so

please write me here, and tell me what I must do
in order to get the Indian name of this ancestor
on record, if it is not already there on.

Very truly yours,

Kathryn M. Johnson

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



OFFICIAL BUSINESS

Any person who writes or sends a letter or card to the

payment of postage on any letter or card sent to the

in any form, shall be liable to a fine of not more than

the amount of the postage so paid.

STATIONER



Kathryn M. Johnson,

Springfield

840 Franklin Ave. St.
1212 St. Kansas City Mo

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT.**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C. *12/3*, 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. *35271*, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,
Special Commissioner.

No. 35-272-

Action: *Granted*

Name *Robert D. Ladd* and *x* children. Residence: *Westerly, R.I.*

Reasons:

will prob. and same to be used in the

*Jas. D. Lann, 1965 Chapman,
grandfather.*

35272

No. 55272

Name / *Robert A. L. ...*

With No. 7/8

Remarks:

35370
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Burnett A. Ladd

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Eumett Augustus Sadd

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Narcissa

3. County:

Cherokee Nation

4. State:

Indian Territory

5. How old are you?

22

Born

Sept 1st 1884

6. Where were you born?

on Cowskin Prairie

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Dessy Moore Sadd

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

White

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

none

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Joseph B. Sadd

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary Josephine Sadd

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary Josephine Vance

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Caldwell County Kentucky

Mother:

Murray County Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Kentucky

Mother:

Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

✓

Mother:

✓

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

Cherokee's

for Strip Payment and Allotment

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | Burris Ladd | Jan 17 1879 | |
| | Living | | |
| (2) | Maud Baker | May 22 1881 | |
| | Living | | |
| (3) | Bessie Ladd | May 24 1887 | |
| | James D. Ladd | " 24 " | |
| (4) | Tola May Ladd | Nov 18 1890 | |
| | Living | | |
| (5) | Clara Lee Ladd | Nov 11 1893 | |
| | Living | | |
| (6) | Matthie Pearl Ladd | Feb 2 1897 | |
| | Living | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Harbard Ladd | James D Vann |
| Susan " | Rosanna Vann |
| | nee Ketcor |

18. Where were they born? Kentucky & Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Kentucky and Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|----------------|---------------|
| (1) | John E Vann | Emma Lee Vann |
| (2) | Elizabeth Vann | James E. Vann |
| (3) | Mary J Vann | |
| (4) | David W Vann | |
| (5) | Mattie Vann | |
| (6) | Sarah A V | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

*Cherokee Strip payment
and for Allotment S. 1.*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*Joseph B Ladd and
Mary J Ladd. Grand Parents James W
Vance Rosanna Vance*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Burnett A Ladd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *August* 1907.

W H Parrott

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 4th

1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Frank Gaines

and

M R Walker

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Burnett August Ladd

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and

12 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *them* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Frank Gaines

M R Walker

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No. 35273

Action: *Reject*

Name *Elizabeth Walden* and *X* children. Residence: *Indianapolis, Ind.*

Reasons:

1. No ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. It does not appear that any ancestor was party to the
Treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Applicant never lived with the tribe.
4. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee.

See letter.

35273

No. 35273

Name Elizabeth Nally

With No.

Remarks: 38471, 38472,

73, 40418, 39996.

Keight
for title

Ancient not
on rolls,

No. 35373

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Walden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

H. H. Walden



Vol. 157

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Elizabeth Walden
Indian name: Unknown
2. Residence and post office: 422 Toledo St Indianapolis
3. County: Marion
4. State: Ind
5. How old are you? 73 Born Nov 16 1831
6. Where were you born? Near Halifax N Carolina
7. Are you married? husband dead
8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
9. To what tribe of Indians ~~does~~ did he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>William W Walden</u> | <u>46</u> | <u>Oct 26, 1860</u> |
| (2) | <u>Addie S Sims</u> | <u>45</u> | <u>Aug - 18, 61</u> |
| (3) | <u>Ulysses S. G. Walden</u> | <u>36</u> | <u>Mar 22, 71</u> |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Burton Turner
Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Emma
Indian name: not known
Maiden name: Emma Winburn

12. Where were they born?

Father: N Carolina

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: N Carolina

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 16. 76

Mother: 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

None living

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Simon Turner</u> | <u>David Winburn</u> |
| <u>Mary (Hawkins) Turner</u> | <u>Mary</u> |

18. Where were they born? N. Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|--|
| (1) | |
| (2) | |
| (3) | |
| (4) | |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I trace Cherokee blood from Winburn family

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elisabeth Walden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Aug 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of July, 1907.
 I certify to attestation, Bert Weep
Bert Weep, Jr.
 My commission expires _____
 NOTARY PUBLIC, *Notary Public.*
 222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor.

NOTARY PUBLIC, *Notary Public.*
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908:

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Albert W. Roberts Ella Fork
and Ella Walden Oless Allen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Walden
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 ³⁵ years and
26 ⁴⁰ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses ~~to each~~:

Signatures of Witnesses.

Witnesses ~~to each~~ Signatures of Witnesses.

Ella J. T. *Albert H. Kewster*
Chas. X. Allen *Ella Walden*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *16th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

1 My commission expires

My commission expires _____
 I certify to alterations Best Deep
Best Deep 190 _____
 Notary Public.

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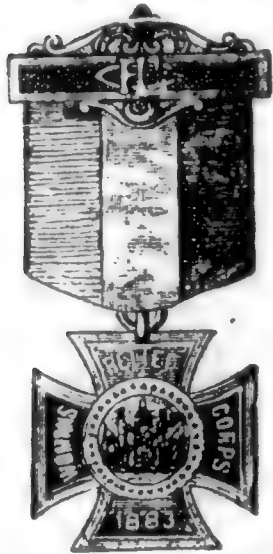
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 27 1908
No.

CORA B. JACKSON, Eds.
333 Toledo St.

ELLA WALDEN, Treas.
120 Toledo St.

MAY HERRON, Sec'y
133 W. 15th St.

FRAN. IS. McAFEE, Press, Co.
356 W. 12th St.



Headquarters
MARTIN R. DELANEY
W. R. C. No. 118

Indianapolis, Ind., 190.....

H. K.

5273.

No. 35273.

May 10, 1901.

Elizabeth Nelson,

433 Madison St., Indianapolis.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why you were not recalled
to the National Cherokee in 1891.

Did you ever live with the Cherokee as a recognized
member of their tribe? Were you admitted to tribal councils?
Were you held as a slave? If so, when and where
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

N/AIL

No. 35274

Action: Reject

Name Ella Walden and 1 children. Residence: Indianapolis, Ind.

Reasons:

Sister of 374040

35274

No. 352 1/2

Name

With No. 54 - 22

Remarks:

List - 4 - 31-22

No. 2221

1. Child

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elia Walden

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

H. H. Hawthorne

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--|------|--------------|
| (1) | Roscoe Walden | 25 | Oct 12 1881 |
| (2) | James Walden | 24 | June 24 1883 |
| (3) | Milton Walden | 5 | Feb 14 1902 |
| (4) | Grand child adopted ward under letters guardianship child of Roscoe Walden | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Salem Ind

Mother: Salem Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: _____

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Charles Roberts (called Crossen) | | |
| | Indpls | | |

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|
| (2) | Ella Walker | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|

| | | | |
|-----|------------|--|--|
| (3) | Mary Mays | | |
| | Indpls Ind | | |

| | | | |
|-----|-------------|--|--|
| (4) | Anna Walker | | |
| | Indpls Ind | | |

| | | | |
|-----|---------------------|--|--|
| (5) | Kate Harper Crossen | | |
| | Indpls | | |

| | | | |
|-----|-------------------|--|--|
| (6) | Thomas F. Crossen | | |
| | Indpls Ind | | |

| | | | |
|--|----------------|--|--|
| | Joseph Crossen | | |
|--|----------------|--|--|

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Benjamin Roberts | Delilah Stewart |

18. Where were they born? N Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Salem Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandfather a full blood Cherokee
grandmother half Cherokee & half African

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ella Walden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

16th

day of

Aug

1907.

I certify to
attestations

My commission expires

Bert Deep, Jr. 190

Notary Public.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,

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that they are well acquainted with

Ella Walden

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 26 years and

26

years, respectively, and know

her

to be the identical person

she

represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses mark

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ella Fork

Albert M. Roberts

Oliver Allen

Elizabeth Walden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

I certify to attestations
Bert Deep, Jr. 190

Bert Deep, Jr.

Notary Public.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35275

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jeff Gibson* and *X* children. Residence: *East Hamilton, Ohio.*

Reasons:

*First cousin once removed of 31695 and claims
through the same source.*

35275

No. 1112

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jeff Gibson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jeff Gibson

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: no 2 Harmon Ave. East Hamilton Ohio

3. County: Butler

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 64

Born

1843

6. Where were you born? In Knott Co. Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rachael Cornwell

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Sarah Ellen Gibson</u> | <u>42</u> | <u>1865</u> |
| (2) | <u>Elizabeth Gibson</u> | <u>39</u> | <u>1868</u> |
| (3) | <u>Burnham Gibson</u> | <u>36</u> | <u>Jan. 21. 1871</u> |
| (4) | <u>Matilda Gibson</u> | <u>33</u> | <u>1874</u> |
| (5) | <u>J. R. Gibson</u> | <u>28</u> | <u>1879</u> |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Tyra Gibson

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Sally Cooker

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Sally Cooker

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Knott Co. Tenn.

Mother: in " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Floyd County, Kentucky

Mother: Died in January 1844

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1850

Mother: 1844

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
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| (1) | Only had on sister | she died | more than 64 years ago |
| (2) | | | |
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| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
Brison Gibson

MOTHER'S SIDE.
Fannie Gibson

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Tyra Gibson

(2) Ara Gibson

(3) Squire Gibson

(4) Kiah Gibson

(5) Oliver Gibson

(6) Kyzziah Gibson

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Great Grand Father

Name was Henry Gibson my Great Grand
Mother's name was Hannah Gibson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

February 11th, 1907.

J.B. Cunningham
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Cornwell

and Parah Cornwell

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jeff Gibson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

22 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

February 11th, 1907.

J.B. Cunningham
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 22 1908
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518 Chestnut St.,
Hamilton, O.
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my address. You will
find address above,
yours
J. Gipson.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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Hamilton, Ohio

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Washington, D. C.

I was a long ways off
from where my witnesses
were but if it is necessary
I can yet furnish the
all the proof needed that
I am an Eastern Cherokee
Indian

Please let me know if
more proof is needed.
it incl.

My application number
is 35275

Address Jeff Gibson
#2 Harmon, Ave.
East Hamilton
Ohio

No. 35276.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Albert A. Morrow* and 3. children. Residence: *West Miller, N.C.*

Reasons:

Ancestors not as such, does not establish genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.

Base test P. 1376.

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No 35370

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

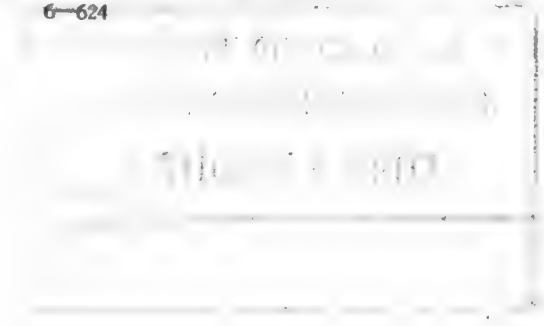
APPLICATION

OF

Albert Ashbury M. ...

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Albert Ashbury Monroe

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Waco, Tex.

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

Macoma, Pa. U.S.A.

7. Are you married?

Have been my wife is dead.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Frances E. Smith

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9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Frederick Monroe</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>Sept. 8, 1899</i> |
| (2) | <i>Aragonia Bell Monroe</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>Aug. 10, 1900</i> |
| (3) | | | |
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| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *In Indian Territory*

Mother: *In Indian Territory*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *January 1881*

Mother: *March 1881*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *were never Enrolled*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|----------------|
| (1) | <i>James Henry</i> | <i>1871</i> | <i>5 years</i> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Sarah

E. Choctaw

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | |
|-----|-------------------------|
| (1) | |
| (2) | |
| (3) | <i>Mary Ann Choctaw</i> |
| (4) | <i>Dead</i> |
| (5) | |
| (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: And I have never been enrolled

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Full Cherokee Indian - mother was raised by her mother and father

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Albert T. Bury)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of April, 1907.

My commission expires

W. J. Jenkins
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mrs. B. L. L. L.
and Lute Lagon Rose, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Albert T. Bury
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 10 years and
10 years, respectively, and know to be the identical person represents
to be, and that the statements made by are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Mrs. B. L. L. L.
Lute Lagon Rose

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11 day of April, 1907.

My commission expires

W. J. Jenkins
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35270.

10, 1867.

Wm. A. Brown,

Wm. A. Brown, Esq.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office if your parents were not
enrolled with the Master of the Slave in 1861.

State if your parents were ever in the
army or navy? Did they ever live with the
colored people?

For your parents' sake, please, if you can, they
will be enrolled in 1861.

Respectfully,

Wm. A. Brown, Esq.

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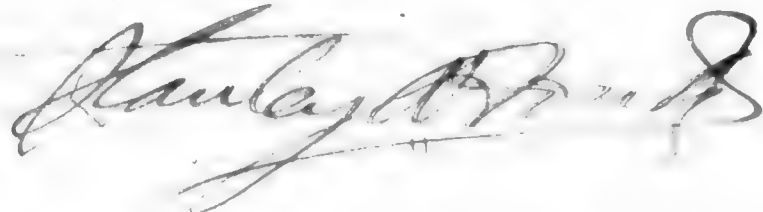
No. 39270.

Albert . Morrow, being first duly sworn, deposes
and says:

My name is Albert . Morrow and I reside at West
Hill, N. C. I was born in Green Co., N. C. in 1857. I
claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my mother,
Mary Ann Morrow, whose maiden name was Ann Apetony.
My mother was a slave and was owned by the family by the
name of Morrow in North Carolina. Her father told me that
her father was an Indian. I was always called by the name of
Morrow by mother.

(Signed) Albert Morrow

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Franklin, N. C.,
this 10th day of July, 1902.



Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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No. 35277

Action: *Reject*

Name *Antie or Pete Ross and 4 children.* Residence: *Leathman N.C.*

Reasons:

Rejected for lack of proof as to Cherokee blood. Claim through James Ross who denies relationship - applicant not enrolled by Hester 1884 - Claim no Cherokee blood through Mother.

35277

No. 35277

Name *Luete or Pete Ross*

With No. *Cor File*

Remarks:

~~*[Faint handwritten text, possibly a list or notes, crossed out with a large X]*~~

No. 5277

Name *William*

With No. 14247

Remarks:

115377
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Livingston

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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115377

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ida or Julia Ross

Indian name: Queta Dewalla

2. Residence and post office: Leathysman

3. County: Macoupin

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 34 Born March 31 1873

6. Where were you born? In Graham Co.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ollie Ross 5 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>Apr 20 1898</u> |
| (2) | <u>Walter</u> | <u>7</u> | <u>May 17 1900</u> |
| (3) | <u>George</u> | <u>4</u> | <u>July 13 1902</u> |
| (4) | <u>John</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>Apr 13 1903</u> |
| (5) | <u>None</u> | | |
| (6) | <u>None</u> | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Ross

Indian name: James Dewalla

Mother—English name: Mattie Ross

Indian name: Mattie Ross

Maiden name: Mattie Ross

12. Where were they born?

Father: Graham Co. N.C.

Mother: N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Graham Co

Mother: In Graham Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: father is now living

Mother: Cannot state exactly - She died about 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I have understood they were enrolled with the Cherokee Indians at Murphy, N.C. Cannot tell date

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Ross</u> | <u>in 1879</u> | |
| | <u>Bryson City N.C.</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Mary Sinker</u> | | <u>11 1903</u> |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------|---|
| <u>John Ross</u> | <u>Jane Bly</u> |
| <u>Ross</u> | <u>Grandfather on mother's side not known</u> |

18. Where were they born? In Graham County N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Graham Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Ross</u> | <u>Cherokee N.C. or near there</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ross</u> | <u>Went West and is now dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Joe Ross</u> | <u>Went West and is dead</u> |
| (4) | <u>Celia Ross</u> | <u>" " " "</u> |
| (5) | <u>Lurinda Ross</u> | <u>" " " "</u> |
| (6) | <u>Sallie Ross</u> | <u>" " " "</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: *I have never been enrolled*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Father James Ross - or "Jim Dewall" was son of John Ross - "The Dewall" were both Cherokee Indians. Grandfather and mother were living when living in 1835. I have never affiliated with any other tribe than the Cherokee.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My mother was a Cherokee Indian and married a white man. She has some children by her white man. I have not seen them. I am descended from the son of Cherokee Indian and a white man. My mother was affiliated with any other tribe of Indians. My grandfather John Ross was at one time Chief of the Cherokee tribe.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Quete Leagon Ross*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *Aug* 1907.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 30, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Mrs. B. [Signature]*

and *[Signature]*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Quete Leagon Ross*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *10* years and

10 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

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[Signature]
Notary Public.

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on May 28, 1906, had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
are true, and they have no interest whatever in claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of August, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires 190 .

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 3

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Samuel T. Pearson Ross

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No.

1. State your full name: Quete Leagon Ross
2. Residence and post office: Leathem
3. County: Macon
4. State: N.C.
5. Date and place of birth: Graham Co. N.C. March 31, 1873
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Octavia Ross 26 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does ~~he~~ or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Charles Ross</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>Apr 21 1898</u> |
| (2) | <u>Rosa Ross</u> | <u>8</u> | <u>Aug 17 1899</u> |
| (3) | <u>Georgia Ross</u> | <u>5</u> | <u>July 23 1902</u> |
| (4) | <u>Harriet Ross</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>Apr 13 1905</u> |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were never enrolled

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My parents were of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians
and were never enrolled

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Quete Leagon Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1907.

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Chas. S. Bryan and
Leon F. Street who, being duly sworn, on oath depose
and say that they are well acquainted with John S. Bryan who makes the
foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 2 years and 10 years,
respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that
on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
him are true, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of August, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 2

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

If no satisfactory answer is received to
letters herein, for FIELD at Macon Co., K. S.

Applicant claims through a James Ross, said to be living,
and also said to be known as James Te-wal-la. James Ross
has filed Application #15904, and in a letter states that he
is known as Te-wal-la or Te-wat-le. He says that he has
been married twice - his first wife Takey, and his second,
Rose, and gives the names of his living children as Adam,
Orin and William. Says that he had a son Samuel who is dead.

This James was enrolled by Hester as #854; Chapman #1032.
He gives the name of his father and mother as Oo-nee-los-sah
Ross and E-le or Nancy, while claimant Peter or Quete gives
the names of his grandparents as John Ross and ---- Ross
and Jane Bly.

Peter or Quete Ross or Te-wal-la does not appear to
have been enrolled by Hester, and his mother does not appear to
have been enrolled by Hester or in 1851, and the main inquiry
is as to whether the James Ross name as father was the
father, and whether it is the same as Application #15904.

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I have been thinking of you very much lately, and wondering how you are getting on. I hope you are well and happy. I have been very busy lately, but I have managed to find some time to write to you.

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1. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1997; 277: 1033-1037.

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There are no other children of the family, please
inform me if you have any other children or other
children, there is he now living? and if you will
write to me, I will, please, send me a card
and the name of the child, to the family.

1. The first of these is the fact that the Commission has not yet received any information from the Government of the Republic of China (Taiwan) regarding the situation in the Republic of China (Taiwan) and the Commission has not yet received any information from the Government of the Republic of China (Taiwan) regarding the situation in the Republic of China (Taiwan).

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 20 1909
No.

Feb 16 1909

Leatherman N.C.

Dear Sir. I am giving an answer
to a letter received a few days ago
which ask me some
questions I will answer the
Best I can. how my father
James Ross is now living in
Swain Co. near yellow hill
My mother and father was
married in the year 1872. He has
married 3 times he has
2 other children I know my
mother was not a indian
in the year of 1884 I was living
in Grayham N.C. with my mother
Peter or quite Leagon Ross

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W. H. H. H.

See also ... of ...

Share of funds ...

Nellie Bly being duly sworn says.

I am a citizen of the United States. My name is
Nellie Bly. I am about 65 years of age.
I am well acquainted with Quete Ross - some-
times called Quete Bly - ^{Have known him} all his life or for more
than 30 years. He is the son of James Ross
known as James Tivalla who was a full blooded
Cherokee Indian - James Ross. Quete's father
was the son of John Ross or John Tivalla who was
also a full Cherokee Indian and at one time
a Cherokee Chief - Quete's father and Grand
father were members of the Cherokee Tribe
John Ross his Grand father was a member
of the Tribe of the Cherokee Indians in 1835-6
and in 1846 - Quete Ross is descended from
persons of Indian Blood who were members of
the Cherokee Tribe and he has not affiliation with
any other Tribe of Indians - My Post Office
address is Leatherman N. C. and I am inter-
ested in any way in his claim

Witness as to mark

Nellie ^{her} Bly official
mark

Mary Jenkins

me this Aug 19th 1909

Sworn to and Subscribed before

M. J. Jenkins
Notary Public

clear on the other hand

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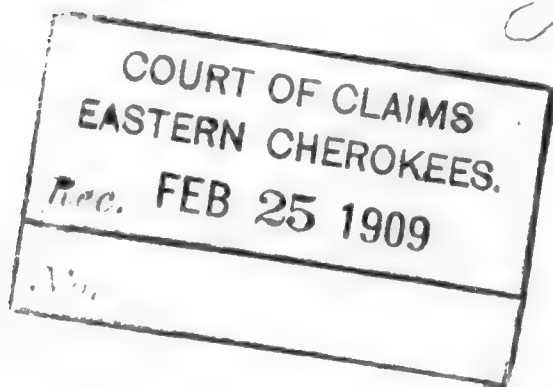
Feb 21. 1909

Leatherman N.C.

Dear Sir an answer to
your letter i received a few
Days ago. A Quete Ross
Father is now living in
Iwain Co near
yellow hill his mother
Was Maletta Bly. She
Was not an indian
She was no relation to me
only. By married his
uncle his father and
Mother was married in the
old indian way he has no
other other full Brother and
Sister he has been married
3 three times

So I will close your
Respectful
Nellie Bly.

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Washington D.C.
Aug 19th 1905

Samuel Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: I send you a letter from
Duke Leagon Ross and Albert Asbury
Morrow - I can get other evidence as to
Duke Leagon Ross. There is no doubt a-
bout his being of Cherokee Indian blood
I enclose his photo

Write me relative to all these cases
please in one of the same handwriting
their status as

App. #35277.

September 13, 1907.

W. J. Jenkins,

Leatherman,

North Carolina.

Sir:-

Your letter of August 19, 1907, inclosing the application of Quete L. Ross, is at hand.

The photograph you inclosed with the application is returned to you, herewith, as it will not be required in connection with the claim.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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CHEROKEES.

JAN 20 1903



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THE SPACE ABOVE IS RESERVED FOR POSTAGE.
THE SPACE BELOW IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.

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No. 35278

Action: *Rejected*

Name *John V. Wickman* and *X* children. Residence: *Corsepolis, Mich.*

Reasons: *Brother of 33471.*

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John R. Richmond

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W. H. Hall

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Jahn R. Rickman

Indian name:

un-known

2. Residence and post office:

Cassapolis

3. County:

Cass - Ga

4. State:

Michigan

5. How old are you?

57

Born

June 20, 1849

6. Where were you born?

Galien - Ohio

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mattalia Rickman 54 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) *William R. Rickman*

(2)

(3) *Edmund Edward G. Rickman*

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Uriah Rickman Sarah Ann Rickman

Father—English name:

Uriah Rickman

Indian name:

un-known

Mother—English name:

Sarah Rickman

Indian name:

un-known

Maiden name:

Sarah Dunning

12. Where were they born?

Father:

West Virginia

Mother:

West Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died

Mother: ~~Died~~ still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | William H. Rickman | | |
| (2) | Maria E. Rickman | | |
| (3) | Marendia Coker | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Gunguez Maria Penley

18. Where were they born? Mexico

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2) George Gunguez

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Richard Sungie

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my grandfather was a
full blood Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses to Mark
Rabbi Goris

Ernest Mathews

(Signature)

John R. Rickman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17th day of August, 1907.

Carleton H. Pinehart
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Rabbi Goris

and

Ernest Mathews

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John R. Rickman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rabbi Goris

Ernest Mathews

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17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st, 1907.

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Notary Public.

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App. No. 35278.

September 5, 1907.

John R. Rickman,
Cassopolis, Michigan.

Sir:

Please notify this Office at once as to the dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 11 1907
No. 35278

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Special Commissioner of The Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.

601 Quay Building.

App. No. 35278. Washington D. C. Aug 9 — 1907.

Aug 9. Cassopolis Cass. Co., Mich 1907
R. F. D. 2. Box 111.

The Dates of the Births of My Children
is as Follows

Richard H. Rickmon was Born July 15. 1870.

Edward G. Rickmon was Born Feb. 17. 1885.

Very Respectfully

John R. Rickmon

No. 35279

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Richard M. Pompey* and *X* children. Residence: *Cassopolis, Mich*

Reasons: *Nephew of 33471.*

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Richard M. Pomroy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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H. H. Hatcherhouse



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Richard M. Pompey
Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Cassapolis RR No 2
3. County: Cass
4. State: Mich
5. How old are you? 35 Born Feb 2 1872
6. Where were you born? Whitley Co, Indiana
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elizabeth Pompey 34 yrs
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Nancy</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Ue</u> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Zachariah Pompey
Indian name: not known
Mother—English name: Nancy
Indian name: not known
Maiden name: Nancy Rickman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Indiana
Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indiana

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: alive

Mother: alive

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1)

| | | |
|---------------|--------|-------|
| NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
| Andrew Pompey | Aug 22 | 1864 |

(2)

| | | |
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| Cassopolis Mich | | |
| Noah Pompey | about | 1866 |
| South Bend Ind | | |

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

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|------------------|---------------|
| FATHER'S SIDE | MOTHER'S SIDE |
| Frederick Pompey | Uriah Rickman |
| Rancy Pompey | Sarah " |

18. Where were they born? N. Carolina and Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Michigan

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Cherokee, descent through both
Pompey and Rickman families

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark.
Ernest Mathews

Rabbi Goins

(Signature)

Richard M. Pompey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug, 1907.

Carleton H. Purchase
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st

, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ernest Mathews

and Rabbi Goins

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Richard M. Pompey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ernest Mathews

Rabbi Goins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 21

, 1907.

Carleton H. Purchase
Notary Public.

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No. 35280

Action: Rejected

Name Matilda Vaughn and X children.

Residence: Cassopolis, Mich.

Reasons:

Sister of 33471

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

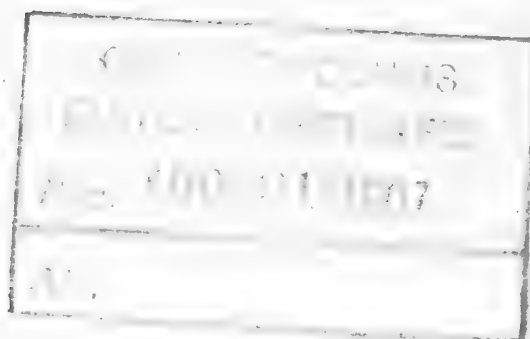
OF

Matilda Laughlin

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Matildio wagner

Indian name:

mupwene

2. Residence and post office:

Cassatubis mitch

3. County:

Cass Co

4. State:

Michigan

5. How old are you?

67 years

Born

6. Where were you born?

Cassatubis mitch

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

amas wagner 53

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|--------------|----------------|------|-------|
| #35281 - (1) | Emery H wagner | 26 | 1880 |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
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| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Oriah Bickman Sarah Dungey

Father—English name:

Oriah Bickman

Indian name:

mupwene

Mother—English name:

Sarah Bickman

Indian name:

mupwene

Maiden name:

Sarah Dungey

12. Where were they born?

Father:

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Mother:

usguria

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tassatapis, Mich.

Mother: Tassatapis, Mich.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Jahn Bilakman</u> <u>Tassatapis</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Nancy E. Ramsey</u> <u>Tassatapis Mich.</u> | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | <u>Margaret Aaker</u> <u>South Bend Ind.</u> | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Richard Dungey

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Virginia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | | |
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| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Richard Jungley

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandfather was a full
Breed Cherokee
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness to mark
Marinda Pompey
Earnest Mathews

(Signature) Matildia ^{her} Vaughan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August 1907.

Carleton H. Rinehart
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Dec 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Marinda Pompey
and Earnest Mathews, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Matildia Vaughan
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marinda Pompey
Earnest Mathews

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 21st

, 1907.

Carleton H. Rinehart
Notary Public.

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No. 35281

Action: Rejected

Name Emery Vaughn and 2 children. Residence: Cassopolis, Mich.

Reasons:

Niece of 33471.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

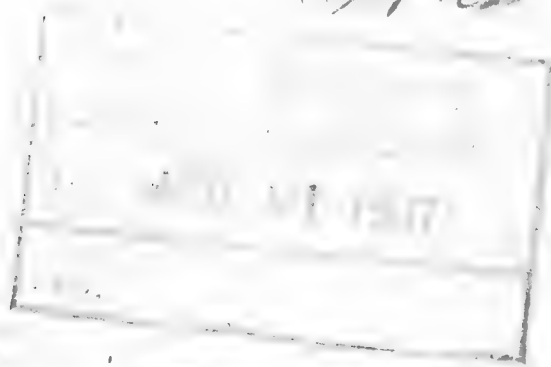
OF

Emery Crawford

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W. H. Crawford
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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Emery Vaughan
Indian name: m/lanane
2. Residence and post office: Cassatubis
3. County: Cass Co
4. State: Michigan
5. How old are you? 26 — Born 1881
6. Where were you born? Cassatubis Michigan
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Chara Vaughan 23
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lloyd Vaughan</u> | <u>4 years</u> | <u>1902</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | <u>Chara Vaughan</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>1905</u> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Amas Vaughan Matildia Rickman
Father—English name: Amas Vaughan
Indian name: m/lanane
Mother—English name: Matildia Vaughan
Indian name: m/lanane
Maiden name: Matildia Rickman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Michigan
Mother: Michigan

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Crass Co mish

Mother: Crass Co mish

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: still living

Mother: still alive

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

X
same name

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Vaughan Sasak Bickman

18. Where were they born? Kennebec

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Crass Co mish

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William H Bickman

(2) John Bickman

(3) Marendia Baker

(4) Nanai E Rumsey

(5) _____

(6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ne

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John Vaughan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grandfather was a
full blood Cherokee
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emery Vaughan.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

Carleton H. Riechart
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Dec. 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ernest Mathews
and Marinda Pompey, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Emery Vaughan
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ernest Mathews
Marinda Pompey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st

, 1907.

Carleton H. Riechart
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35282

Action: Reject

Name: Amos Vaughn and 1 children. Residence: Cassopolis Mich

Reasons: Ancestors were not parties to Treaty of 1835-A-46, show no affiliation, association or connection with Cherokee tribe

35282

No. 65292

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amos R. R. R. R.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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H. H. H. H. H.
Office



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Anna Vaughn

Indian name: metname

2. Residence and post office: Cassat Park B B 9

3. County: Calhoun Co

4. State: Michigan

5. How old are you? 63 Born 1854

6. Where were you born? Calhoun Co Michigan

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wife 51 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Oscar Tucker Vaughn</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>1893</u> |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | <u>Emery Vaughn</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>1884</u> |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Jahn Vaughn Martha Jeffers

Father—English name: Jahn Vaughn

Indian name: metname

Mother—English name: Martha Vaughn

Indian name: metname

Maiden name: Martha Jeffers

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ind

Mother: Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still lives

Mother: Died 14 years ago

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | John W. Crangham | | |
| | Henry Crangham | | |
| (2) | Amberilans, Bass | | |
| (3) | Martha L. Snelling | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Crangham

Ridley Jeffers

Herbert Jeffers

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Daniel Asaad Jeffers

(2) Amberilans

(3) Run

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Henry Vaughan
Harry

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my grandfather was a full blood
Cherokee Indian
my grandmother was
half Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Amos Vaughan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August 1907.

Carlton H. Pinchard

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William H. Rickman
and Zachariah Pompa, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Amos Vaughan
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and
40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William H. Rickman

Zachariah Pompa

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 21st

1907.

Carlton H. Pinchard

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35283.

Action: Reject.

Name..... Zachariah Pompe and X children. Residence:..... Cassopolis, Mich.

Reasons:

It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee domain. Shows no connection whatever with the Eastern Cherokees.

Misc. Test. P. 2647.

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No. 33.283
Name Zachariah Panjha

With No.

Remarks: ~~38784~~ 38754,

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No. 35082

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Zochariah Rumba

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

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(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Whitney Co. Ind

Mother: Whitney Co. Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1905 age 95 years old

Mother: Died 20 years ago 65

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Nathan Dugbas | | |

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| (2) | Graseth, Banta | | |
| | Allen Banta | | |

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|-----|---------------|--|--|
| (3) | Jamas Banta | | |
| | William Banta | | |

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|-----|------------------|--|--|
| (4) | Margie E. Burton | | |
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| (5) | Mahira Amers | | |
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| (6) | | | |
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Harlan Jeffers

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? was not

living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ne

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Harbans Juppess

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Grandfather Juppess was
a Half Breed Cherokee
Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Zachariah Pompa

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

Carleton H. Pritchard
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Amos Vaughn
and William H. Rickman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Zachariah Pompa
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and
35 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Amos Vaughn
William H. Rickman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st, 1907.

Carleton H. Pritchard
Notary Public.

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Mis.

Application No. 35283.

Zachariah Pompa being first duly sworn deposes and says, I am 68 years old and I live in Cass Co. Mich. I was born in Indiana. I claim my Indian blood from both father and mother. My father was Fielding Pompa I think he was born in Virginia. My mother was born I think in Ohio. I have two brothers older than myself. I think they were born in Ohio. My father was about 90 at the time of his death and he died about four or five years ago. I have heard my father say that he was part Indian. He said he was half Indian. I don't know whether he got his Indian blood from his father or mother. I think I have heard him say that he belonged to the Cherokee tribe. This was probably 45 years ago. I never received any money as an Indian and I never heard of my father receiving any. I think my mother was about a quarter Indian. My mother's father claimed to be Cherokee. I have seen him. I saw him in Indiana. I don't believe I ever heard him say that he was an Indian. I never heard of my mother receiving any money as an Indian. I never applied before for any rights as an Indian. I am known as a mixed blooded man. I am not known as a colored man. I am the father of Noah Pompa Application No. 38754. He is now living in Cass Co.

Zachariah Pompa

Subscribed and sworn before me at Cassopolis, Mich, this 20 day of Sept. 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

App. No. 35283.

September 5, 1907.

Zachariah Pompa,
Cassopolis, Michigan.

Sir:

Please notify this Office at once as to the dates of the
births of your children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 27 1908
No.

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Cassipora Wick May The 25th 1908

Like quion Miller Sir in reply
to your letter of the 20 inst
you ask why I was not Enroled in
1857 with the Eastern Cherokee the
Reason that I was not Enroled
was because no body did not come
around to Enroal yo wanted to know
if me or my parents ever lived with
the Cherokee as a Recognized member
of their tribe no i did not but my father
did. I was not held as a Slave nor
my parents you ask when my
Ancestors moved from north
Carolina I do not know
Yours With Respect

Wick

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Gacariah Compa

No. 35283.

May 20, 1908.

Richard H. Hays,

Greenville, N.C.

Sir:--

Kindly advise this office why you were not enrolled
as a Eastern Christian in 1871.

Did you, or your partners, ever deal with the Eastern
Church as a recognized member of their faith?

Were you held as slaves? If so, were you owned
by white people or Indians?

When did your ancestors come from North Carolina?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

R/HB

Special Commissioner of the
Court of Claims, Eastern Cherokee.
Enrollment, 601. Curay Building.
App. No. 35283. Washington D.C.

1907

Aug 7.

Andrew Pompa (Born Aug 22. 1864

Noah Pompa July 23. 1869

Richard M. Pompa Feb 2. 1872

The above is answer to your Letter
of Sept 5. 1907

From Zachariah Pompa

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| COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. SEP 11 1907 | No. 35283 |
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File

No. 35284

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Muriel N. Pompy* and *5* children.

Residence: *Cassopolis, Mich.*
R. F. D. # 2.

Reasons:

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No. 35284-5

Name

With No. 33471

Remarks:

To
Andrew S. ...

Wife of 3-18-11

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mamie N Pompey

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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H. H. H. H. H.



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|------------------|------|------------|
| (1) | Archibald Pompey | 20 | Aug 17 87 |
| (2) | Harriette | 17 | May 24 90 |
| (3) | Harry | 14 | June 30 93 |
| (4) | Norma | 7 | Sept 1 94 |
| (5) | Paul | 5 | Aug 17 95 |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mich

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: .Alive

Mother: May 18 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Andrew Brown | | |
| | Cover Mich | | |
| (2) | James Brown | | |
| | Cover Mich | | |
| (3) | Abraham Brown | | |
| | Smith Bend Ind | | |
| (4) | Mary Pompey | | |
| | S Bend Ind | | |
| (5) | Maria Calloway | | |
| | S Bend Ind | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Michigan and Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Michigan

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 700

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim to be a member of the
tribe of the

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Marinda N Pompey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug, 1907.

Carleton H. Pinchart
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Rabbi Goris
and Earnest Mathews, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Marinda N. Pompey
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 20 years and
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rabbi Goris
Earnest Mathews

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 21st, 1907. Carleton H. Pinchart
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35285

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Andrew S. Pompey* and *5* children.

Residence: *Essopalis, Mich.*

Reasons:

Nephew of 33471.

R.F.G. 2.

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

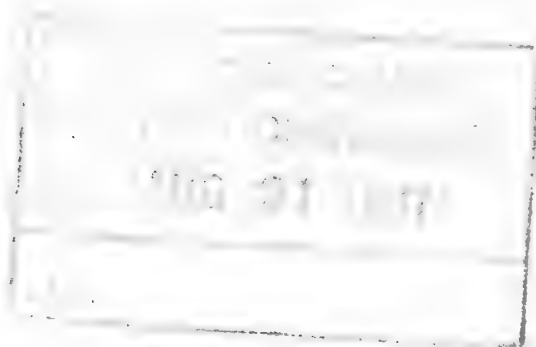
OF

Andrew J Pompey

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Andrew S Pompey
Indian name: not known
2. Residence and post office: Cassopolis R R 2
3. County: Cherokee
4. State: Mich
5. How old are you? 42 Born Aug 22 1864
6. Where were you born? Whitley Co Indiana
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marinda N. Pompey, 40 yrs
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Arthur Pompey | 20 | Aug 17 1887 |
| (2) | Clara Belle " | 17 | May 29 1890 |
| (3) | Harry " | 14 | June 20 1893 |
| (4) | Errolme " | 7 | Sept 1 1899 |
| (5) | Earl " | 3 | Aug 14 1903 |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Zachariah Pompey
Indian name: not known
Mother—English name: Nancy
Indian name: unknown
Maiden name: Nancy Rickman

12. Where were they born?
Father: Indiana
Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Indiana

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: alive

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|------------|-------|
| (1) | Noah Pompey | about 1866 | |
| | South Bend Ind | | |
| (2) | Richard M Pompey | Feb 2 1872 | |
| | Cooperstown | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Fielding Pompey | Noah Rickman |
| Rarey Pompey | Sarah Rickman |

18. Where were they born?

Ill Caratuna and Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Michigan

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | | |
| (2) | | |
| (3) | | |
| (4) | | |
| (5) | | |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Cherokee descent through both
ancestors

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Andrew S. Pompey

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17th

day of

Aug

1907.

Carlton H. Prichard

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 21st

1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Rabbi Goris

and

Ernest Mathews

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Andrew S. Pompey

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

him

for 15 years and

10 years, respectively, and know

him

to be the identical person

he

represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by

him

are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

his

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Rabbi Goris

Ernest Mathews

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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1907.

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No. 35286.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Emily B. Jones* and *X* children. Residence: *Cain Creek, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Grand-daughter of #11382 and claims through
the same source.*

35286

No. 35-86

Name. A. J. B. 11 B 82

With No. 11 B 82

Remarks :

Grown Daughter.

15396

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

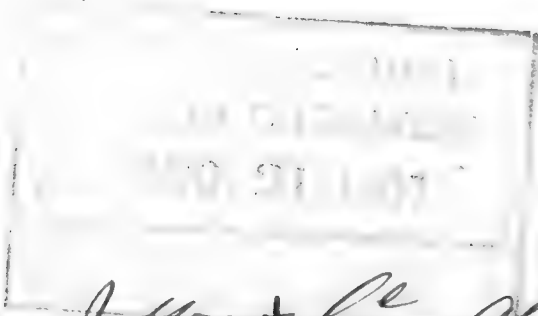
APPLICATION

OF

Emily B. Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*Wm. J. Worley, Atty.
Dalton, Ga.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Emily B. Jones

Indian name:

Unknown

2. Residence and post office:

Cain Creek P.O.

3. County:

Lumpkin

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

21 years

Born

Feb. 21, 1886.

6. Where were you born?

Lumpkin Co., Ga.

7. Are you married?

Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Basel O. Jones, 58 years.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

None.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

None.

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John M. Crow.

Indian name:

Unknown.

Mother—English name:

Fannie Crow.

Indian name:

None.

Maiden name:

Fannie Denton.

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Lumpkin Co., Ga.

Mother:

Cherokee " N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Not living in 1851.*

Mother: *" " " "*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Not living*

Mother: *" "*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *I don't know.*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| (1) | <i>Mr. Moses,</i> | <i>Oct 5, 1888.</i> | |
| | <i>Lumpkin Co. Ga.</i> | | |
| (2) | <i>Annie J.</i> | <i>May 14, 1891.</i> | |
| | <i>Nolan, Ga.</i> | | |
| (3) | <i>Alice E.</i> | <i>July 10, 1894.</i> | |
| | <i>Lumpkin Co. Ga.</i> | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <i>Wm C. Crow</i> | <i>Moses Denton</i> |
| <i>Willie M. Crow</i> | <i>Martha E. Denton</i> |
| <i>Indian names not known.</i> | |

18. Where were they born? *Forsyth Co. Ga., & South Carolina.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Lumpkin & Forsyth Co. Ga.*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | NAME. | RESIDENCE. |
|-----|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary A. Crow.</i> | <i>Eliza, Denton</i> |
| (2) | <i>John M.</i> | <i>William, Burnsville, Ala.</i> |
| (3) | <i>Sarah E.</i> | <i>Fannie, Cain Co. Ga.</i> |
| (4) | <i>Martha J.</i> | <i>Joseph, Burnsville, Ala.</i> |
| (5) | <i>Samuel W.</i> | <i>Aldie, Dahlonega, Ga.</i> |
| (6) | <i>Isaac V.</i> | <i>Charity, Kansas.</i> |
| | | <i>John.</i> |
| | | <i>Walter.</i> |
| | | <i>Belle. Not Home D.C.</i> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know,

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John M. Crow,

Mrs Crow, Milley M. Crow, Betsey Eaton.
Indian names not known.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my Indian blood through my mother's
Milley M. Crow whose Application No.
is 11,382, to which reference is made.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature - Emily B. Jones)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31, 1908.

Wm J. Worley, J. P.
Dumfries Co, Ga,
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me F. G. Jones
and Fred Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Emily B. Jones
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and
8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. F. Miller
P. O. Jones

Signatures of Witnesses.

+ F. G. Jones
+ Fred Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31, 1908.

Wm J. Worley, J. P.
Dumfries Co, Ga,
Notary Public.

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OFFICE OF
Wm. J. Worley,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Real Estate and Abstracting.

Dalhousie, Ga., Aug 16, 1907

Hon. Simon Miller
Special Commr &c.
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

I Enclosed herewith
3 Application - James S. Sozeby, &
Biddie D. Odom Supplemental App -
And Mrs Emily, B. Jones -
Send Filing Cards in my case as
before -

If I had the blank Applications
asked for I could send in several
others before 31st inst.

Please send Blanks And
oblige

Very truly yours

Wm J. Worley

No. 35287

Action:

Report

Name:

Pattie Jackson Bates and 1

children.

Residence:

213 Reynolds St.
Marietta, Ga.

Reasons:

Sister of #32125

35287

No. 65216 7 1
Name 1 1 1
With No. 32 1 20
Remarks:

35287

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Pattie Jackson Bates

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1909, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Pattie Jackson Bates

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: # 213 Reynolds Street, Marietta

3. County: Cobb

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? Sixty-two Born June 6, 1845

6. Where were you born? Upson County, Georgia

7. Are you married? No. Have been married twice but both husbands are now dead.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------------|------|---------------|
| (1) | Sula Andrews Palmer | 41 | Oct 17, 1865 |
| (2) | Mary J. Andrews | 40 | Jan. 4, 1867 |
| | James Andrews | 37 | Oct 28, 1869 |
| (3) | Augustus Andrews | 35 | Dec. 4, 1871 |
| | Mark Andrews | 34 | Apr. 27, 1873 |
| (4) | Gertrude Andrews Roberts | 32 | July 6, 1875 |
| | John Andrews | 30 | Mar. 20, 1877 |
| (5) | Willie Bates | 24 | Dec. 4, 1882 |
| | Lucia Bates | 22 | May 20, 1885 |
| (6) | Myra Bates Butler | 19 | June 4, 1888 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Alex Jackson

Indian name: Alex Wommoex

Mother—English name: Sander Jackson

Indian name: Sander Wommoex

Maiden name: Sander Wommoex, born Mar 10, 1819,

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: State of Virginia

Mother: State of Virginia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Upson County, Georgia,

Mother: Upson County, Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: August, 1855-

Mother: May, 1897

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: According to applicant's best
opinion and belief, they were not.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| (1) | Nathan Jackson | Jan'y 5, 1841 | Aug. 12, 1894, |
| | Samuel E. Jackson | April 11, 1843, | Now living. |
| (2) | Martha Jackson | April 30, 1844 | " " |
| | Mike Jackson | Oct. 26, 1846, | " " |
| (3) | Andrew Jackson | Jan'y 29, 1849, | " " |
| | Hampton Jackson | March 1, 1850 | " " |
| (4) | Alex Jackson | Sept. 20, 1852 | " " |
| | Rhoda Jackson | March 30, 1854 | " " |
| (5) | Guinda Jackson | Feb'y 2, 1856 | " " |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Womwox James Morgan (English Name.)
"Eastern Jim" (Indian Name.)

18. Where were they born? Do not know, but somewhere in Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paternal grandfather was
dead in 1851. James Morgan died in 1849.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Mary Jackson (mother's sister) died in Upson Co., Ga., in 1905.
(2) Guinda Throat " " died near Lookout Mt., Tenn., in 1903.
(3) Liza Croft " " died in Monroe Co., Ga., in 1896
(4) Emily " " died in Ala., in 1889
(5) Hampton Womwox " brother, died during Civil War
(6) John Womwox " " died before Civil War
(7) Patsy Jackson (father's sister) died before Civil War

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: No Indian name of parents or grandparents, further than applicant believes the name "Indian Jim" was the Indian name of maternal grandfather.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
James Morgan, or "Eastern Jim" was a full-blooded Cherokee Indian, resided in the State of Virginia, and was wounded in the war of 1831-

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Pattie Jackson Bates

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Aug 1907.

W. H. Dewees
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 10, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Dewees
and W. J. Black, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Pattie Jackson Bates who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 50 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Dewees

W. J. Black

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

May 10, 1908.

W. H. Dewees
Notary Public.

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No. 35288.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Francis M. Bilyeu* and *3* children. Residence: *Hillham, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 32801.

35288

No. 35288 (Ed.)
Name J. M. Thompson
With No. 32981

Remarks:

No. 35988
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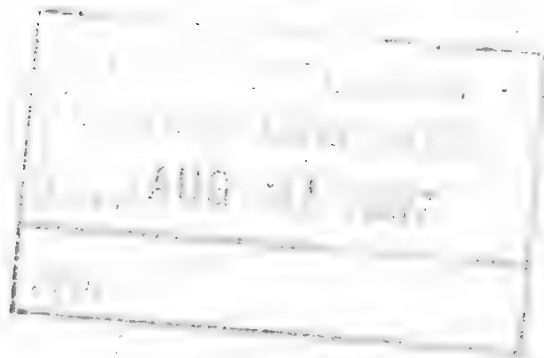
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

for his children, as follows:
Francis M. Riden
Wm. H. Riden & Oliver H. Riden
all minors under 21.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Application of parent for minor children under 21

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— *Application of parent for his minor children*

English name: *Francis M. Bilyeu parent for Wm. H. Bilyeu, Versa M. Bilyeu, & Pleasie H. Bilyeu*

Indian name: *William H. Versa M. & Pleasie H. Harrison*

2. Residence and post office: *Hilham*

3. County: *Ouachita*

4. State: *Tennessee*

5. How old are you? *Pleasie H. 4; Wm. H. 9; Versa M. 7; X* Born *Sept 19, 1897; May 6, 1900; Dec 19, 1902, respectively.*

6. Where were you born? *In Ouachita Co., Tenn.*

7. Are you married? *X*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *X*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *X*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| NAME, S of the minors | | | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--|----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Wm. H. Bilyeu</i> | | <i>9</i> | <i>Sept 19 - 1897</i> |
| (2) | <i>Versa M. Bilyeu</i> | | <i>7</i> | <i>May 6, 1900</i> |
| (3) | <i>Pleasie H. Bilyeu</i> | | <i>4</i> | <i>Dec 19 1902</i> |
| (4) | | | | |
| (5) | | | | |
| (6) | | | | |

11. Give names of ^{their} your father and mother, and ^{their} your mother's name before marriage: *Francis*

Marion Bilyeu, Ida E. Bilyeu, formerly Ida E. Boulton

Father—English name: *Francis M. Bilyeu*

Indian name: *Francis M. Harrison*

Mother—English name: *Ida Ellen Bilyeu*

Indian name: *none so far as I know*

Maiden name: *Ida Ellen Boulton*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *In Ouachita Co., Tenn.*

Mother: *In Ouachita Co., Tenn.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____ X

Mother: _____ X

14. Date of death of ^{their} your father and mother:

Father: _____ Living

Mother: _____ Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____ No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | X | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of ^{minor childrens} your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| (Eng) | Wm Bilyen | Emilie B. Benton & Ellen Benton. |
| (Ind) | Tom Harison | Ind, I don't know |
| Eng | Martina A. Bilyen | |
| (Ind) | None | |

18. Where were they born? Tom Bilyen & wife, ^{Jess Benton} ~~I don't know~~ ^{Emilie Benton}

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tom Bilyen & wife in ^{Emilie Benton} ~~I don't know~~ ^{Emilie Benton}

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|---|--|--|
| (1) | Jesse G. Bilyen | | |
| (2) | Amj. C. " Hilham, Tenn. | | |
| (3) | Andrew J. " (dead) | | |
| (4) | Francis M. Bilyen, the applicant for above minors | | |
| (5) | Mary B. Carmack, Hilham, Tenn. | | |
| (6) | Alpha Dee Lee " " R.R. #1. | | |
| 7 | Hardin L. Bilyen " " R.R. #1. | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Francis M. + Ida E. Bilgen, parents; Louis Bilgen + Martha A. Bilgen, grand parents; Benj. (Hemmer) Bilgen + Nancy Bilgen, great grand parents; Oliver Bilgen + Bilgen, great, great

grand parents of minors

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have this day made application for my own share + make this for my children under 21 years of age

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Francis M. Bilgen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5

, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. A. Ayers

and

Arkeley Christian

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Francis M. Bilgen

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Ayers

Arkeley Christian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5

, 1908.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

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No. *35289*

Action: *Reject*

Name *Fannie E. Porter* and *X* children. Residence: *Centerville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Wife of 30949

35289

No. 35289
Name *John J. Smith*
With No. 102
Remarks:

35289
No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

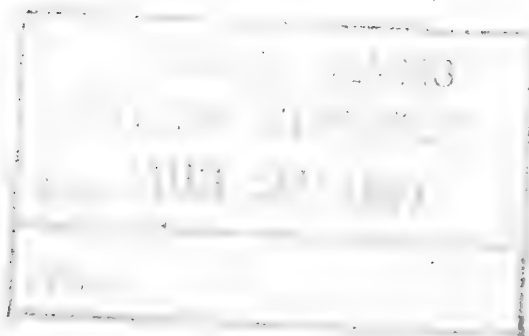
APPLICATION

OF

Fannie Emily Porter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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2nd Refer You to
 Affidavit made by R. J. M. Only of
 Calhoun Tenn for my Mother Sarah
 Grace Porter Hawk & Aunt Madison & her
 Hawk's claim which was attached
 to their claims. as Evidence in my
 claim

Respectfully yours

printed by the
 of Claims of
 of identity is

at answer, so

6. Where were you born?

Riceville Mc Minn County Tenn

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

not any

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) | | | |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

James H. Porter & Sarah Grace Hawk

Father—English name:

James H. Porter

Indian name:

do not know

Mother—English name:

Sarah Grace Porter or Hawk

Indian name:

Hawk

Maiden name:

Hawk

12. Where were they born?

Father:

think Riceville Mc Minn County Tennessee

Mother:

Calhoun Mc Minn County Tenn

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Fannie, Emily, Porter
Indian name: Hawk
2. Residence and post office: Wentville
3. County: McMinn
4. State: Tennessee
5. How old are you? 38 Born April 3 - 1869
6. Where were you born? Riciville McMinn County Tenn
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: not any
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____
James H. Porter & Sarah Grace Hawk
- Father—English name: James H. Porter
Indian name: do not know
- Mother—English name: Sarah Grace Porter or Hawk
Indian name: Hawk
Maiden name: Hawk

12. Where were they born?
Father: think Riciville McMinn County Tennessee
Mother: Calhoun McMinn County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Riceville McMinn County Tenn

Mother: Riceville McMinn County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died. February 4th 1905

Mother: She is living yet

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------------|--------|
| (1) | Margaret Ellen (Trew) Porter Kentville Tenn | Nov 10-1862 | Living |
| (2) | Bremer (Worham) Porter Kentville Tenn | August 7-1866 | Living |
| (3) | Fannie Emily Porter Kentville Tenn | April 3-1869 | Living |
| (4) | J. S. Porter Kentville Tenn | Feb 17-1875 | Living |
| (5) | R. F. Porter New Sperry Fla. | September 17-1879 | Living |
| (6) | | | |

My Name #35290

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|---------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| English | Henry Porter | Garratt (Porter) (Tenn) Woodson |
| Indian | Can not answer | Can not answer |
| English | Madison C. Hawk | Betsy Jane Meggs. a Hawk |
| Indian | Cowk or Walker | Do not know |

18. Where were they born? near Abingdon Va & Mother near Cherokee Agency

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? He was dead & Grand Mother was living at Riceville 11 District McMinn County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | Mary E. Hawk | Dead |
| (2) | Timothy S. M. Hawk | Prussburg Tenn |
| (3) | Robert A. Hawk | Dead |
| (4) | Sarah Grace Hawk | Kentville Tenn |
| (5) | R. J. Hawk | Dead |
| (6) | Fannie Jane Hawk | Dead |
| (7) | Madison A. Hawk | Kentville Tenn |

My mother

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Great Grand Father was Robert Hawk on my Mother's side & she was a daughter of Madison G. Hawk

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My Great Grand Mother on Hawk Side was a Sister to Chief John Walker Father of Chief Jack Walker

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Fannie Emily Porter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

Fannie Emily Porter
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. N. Harrison

and J. S. Brewer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Fannie Emily Porter

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. N. Harrison
J. S. Brewer

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My commission expires

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J. W. Frew
Notary Public.

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No. 35290

Action:

Reject

Name

Jno. W. L. Porter

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children.

Residence:

Wentville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Nephew of 30449.

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Name J. J. Smith

With No. 55289

Remarks:

No. 35300

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

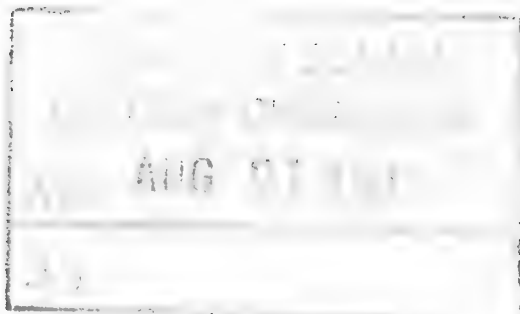
APPLICATION

OF

Geo. D. Am. S. Porter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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Calhoun, Tennessee for the purpose of

Grace Porter Hawk & Madison A. Brewer Hawk
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Respectfully yours

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Feb 17 - 1876

Log Hill, Mc Minn County Tennessee

yes

Sarah Porter 29 years

Cherokee

| NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
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| (1) Elzie Porter | 9 | 1898 |
| (2) Buleh Porter | 5 | 1902 |
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James R. Porter & Sarah Grace Hawk or (Porter)

James R. Porter

English

Sarah Grace (Hawk) Porter

Hawk

Hawk

Father: Tennessee

Mother: Calhoun near Charleston Agency Calhoun Tenn

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

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7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Riceville Mc Minn County Tenn

Mother: Riceville Mc Minn County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died February 4 - 1905

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|----------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Mrs. rt. Ellen Porter</u> <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> | <u>Nov 10 - 1862</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (2) | <u>Bernice (Nodden) Porter</u> <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> | <u>August 7 - 1866</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (3) | <u>Fannie Porter</u> <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> | <u>April 3 - 1869</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (4) | <u>J. S. Porter</u> <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> | <u>Feb 17 1875</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (5) | <u>R. F. Porter</u> <u>New Smyrna, Fla</u> | <u>September 17 - 1879</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------|-------------------------|--|
| | <u>Henry Porter</u> | <u>Marriett (Porter) Turner Nodden</u> |
| | <u>do not know</u> | <u>do not know</u> |
| | <u>Madison, G. Hawk</u> | <u>Betsy Jane Meigs Hawk</u> |
| Indian name | <u>Hawk or Walker</u> | <u>do not know</u> |

18. Where were they born? Hawk in Abingdon Va + mother on Cherokee Agency, Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hawk in Abingdon Va + mother on Cherokee Agency, Ga
at Riceville 11 district Mc Minn County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | <u>Mary E. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Frederick S. Hawk</u> | <u>Ironburg Tenn</u> |
| (3) | <u>Robert A. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sarah Grace Hawk</u> | <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> |
| (5) | <u>R. J. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (6) | <u>Fannie Jane Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (7) | <u>Madison A. Hawk</u> | <u>Hentville, Tenn</u> |

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22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Great Grand Father was Robert Hawk on My Mother's side & she was a daughter of Madisons b. Hawk

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Great Grand mother on Hawk side was a sister of Chief John Walker the Father of Chief Jack Walker

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

J. S. Brewer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Trew

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. S. Brewer

and

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who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John William Sterling Foster

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

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knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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No. 35291

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Julius P. Pickens* *Jdm.* and *1* children. Residence: *Centerville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Nephew of 30949.

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No. 35291-35292

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Henry Frank Pickens

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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5. How old are you?

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7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

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Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

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Respectfully yours

David Pickens & Fannie Jane Hawk

David Pickens

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Fannie J. (Hawk) Pickens

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Calhoun County Tenn

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

- Julius Porter Pickens, Guardian for*
1. State full name—
English name: *Henry Frank Pickens*
Indian name: *Hawk*
2. Residence and post office: *Dentonville*
3. County: *McMinn*
4. State: *Tennessee*
5. How old are you? *20 years* Born *June 1st 1887*
6. Where were you born? *Dentonville Tennessee*
7. Are you married? *No*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Not an*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

David Pickens & Fannie Jane Hawk

Father—English name: *David Pickens*
Indian name: *do not know*

Mother—English name: *Fannie J. (Hawk) Pickens*
Indian name: *Hawk*
Maiden name: *Hawk*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *McMinn County Tenn*
Mother: *Calhoun McMinn County Tenn*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: McMinn County Tenn

Mother: Riceville McMinn County, Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: September 10 - 1902

Mother: April 8 - 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Never was that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
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| #35292 - (1) | <u>Julius Porter Pickens</u> | <u>June 22 - 1885</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| | <u>Kentville Tenn</u> | | |
| my mom (2) | <u>Harry Frank Pickens</u> | <u>June 1 - 1887</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| | <u>Kentville Tenn</u> | | |
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| | FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
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| Eng | <u>Harley P. Pickens</u> | <u>Linda Pickens</u> |
| Ind | <u>do not know</u> | <u>do not know</u> |
| | <u>William C. Hawk</u> | <u>Betsy Jane Meigs or Hawk</u> |
| Indian name | <u>Hawk or Walker</u> | <u>do not know</u> |

18. Where were they born? Pickens in McMinn County Tenn near Clinton, Va. - mother near Cherokee Agency

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens in McMinn County Tenn
Hawk dead & Grand mother Hawk Riceville Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) | <u>Mary E. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Timothy S. Hawk</u> | <u>Lonsburg Tenn</u> |
| (3) | <u>Robert A. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sarah Grace Hawk</u> | <u>Kentville Tenn</u> |
| (5) | <u>R. J. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (6) | <u>Annie J. Hawk</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (7) | <u>Madison A. Hawk</u> | <u>Kentville Tenn</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: New Han

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 My Grand father was Robert Hawk
on my Mother's side & she was a daughter of
Madison C. Hawk

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Great Grand Mother on Hawk Side
was a sister to Chief John Walker
the Father of Chief Jack Walker

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Henry Frank Dickens
guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Drew
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Harrison
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who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and
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himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in such claim.

Witnesses to mark.

J. W. Harrison
J. W. Drew

Signatures of Witnesses.

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No. 35292

Action: Reject

Name: Julius P. Pickens and X children. Residence: Venterville, Tenn.

Reasons: Nephew of 30949.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

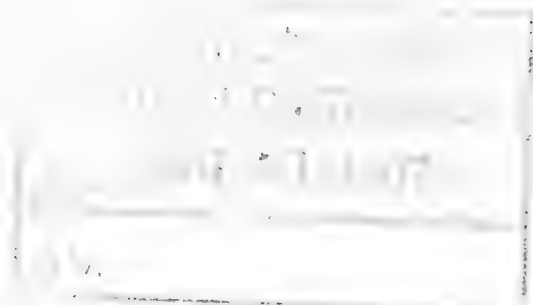
APPLICATION

OF

Julius P. Dickens

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Mother:

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David Maid by R.J.M. Only of

Calhoun Tenn. for My Aunt.

Sarah Grace Porter & Madison A Brewer Hawk

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: David Pickens
Mother: Fanny J. Hawk (Pickens)

Father—English name: David, Pickens

Indian name: do not know

Mother—English name: Fanny J. Hawk (Pickens)

Indian name: Hawk

Maiden name: Hawk

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mc Minn County Tenn

Mother: Calhoun Mc Minn County Tenn

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
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SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: McMinn County Tenn

Mother: Riceville McMinn County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: September 10 - 1902

Mother: April 8 - 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-------------|------------------------|--------------|--------|
| My name (1) | Julius Porter Pickens | June 22-1886 | Living |
| | <u>Ventville, Tenn</u> | | |
| (2) | Henry Frank Pickens | June 1-1887 | Living |
| | <u>Ventville, Tenn</u> | | |
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

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| <u>David Pickens</u> | <u>Fannie</u> |
| <u>English: Charles Pickens</u> | <u>Linda Pickens</u> |
| <u>Madison A. Hawk</u> | <u>Betsy Jane Hawk</u> |
| <u>Indian name: Hawk or Walker</u> | <u>Do Not Know</u> |

18. Where were they born? Pickens & McMinn Co. La Hawk. Near Abingdon, Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens in McMinn County Tenn
& Hawk Dead. + grandmother Hawk Riceville Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) <u>Merr. E. Hawk</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (2) <u>Timothy S. Hawk</u> | <u>Leisburg, Tenn</u> |
| (3) <u>Robert A. Hawk</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (4) <u>Sarah Grace Hawk</u> | <u>Ventville, Tenn</u> |
| (5) <u>R. J. Hawk</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (6) <u>Fannie J. Hawk</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (7) <u>Marion A. Hawk</u> | <u>Ventville, Tenn</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never Have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Great Grandfather was Robert Hawk on my Mother's side & she was a daughter of Medison L. Hawk.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Great Grand Mother on Hawk side was a sister to Chief John Walker the Father of Chief Jack Walker

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Julius Porter Pickens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Trew
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct, 1908.

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Trew
J. S. Brewer
J. N. Harrison
Jemuel E. Ether

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No. 95293

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Lydia J. Tilton* and *no* children.

Residence: *106 Maple St.
St. Elmo, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Applicant is a sister of 24025 -

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No. 35293

Name

With No.

Remarks:

Lydia
No. 35292

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

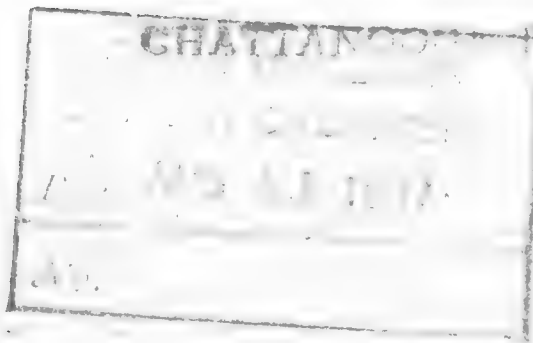
Lydia J. Helton
Self and 4 minors

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

L. E. JONES

Atty



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|----------|----------------------------|
| (1) | Bertha Helton | 7 years. | June 15 th 1900 |
| (2) | Leonard " | 5 " | Jan 16 1902 |
| (3) | Henry " | 3 " | Jan 12 1904 |
| (4) | Stella " | 1 " | Dec 14 1905 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

1888
 1890
 1896
 Jan 17th
 May 22
 Mch 31
 7 Walter S Humphres Born
 Grace
 Gordon

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Cherokee Co Georgia
 Mother: abol born in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead Mch. 4th 1907
 Mother: Living at St Elmo Tenn

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | James M Humphres | Apr 8 1872 | Living |
| | St Elmo Tenn | | |
| (2) | Andrew S. Humphres | Sept 5 1875 | " |
| | Walker Co Ga | | |
| (3) | Benjamin W Humphres | | " |
| | St Elmo Tenn At 1 | | |
| (4) | Richard Humphres | Nov 1 1879 | " |
| | Walker Co Ga | | |
| (5) | Clara C. Wilson | Dec 27 1883 | " |
| | St. Elmo Tenn | | |
| (6) | Charles J Humphres | Sept 27 1886 | " |
| | Walker Co Ga | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Jersey Humphres | William Shubird |
| Barah | Julia A |

18. Where were they born? Humphres in Spartanburg Sc
The Shubirds in Roane Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Humphres in Cherokee County Ga. The Shubirds in Roane County Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|---------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Traders side | (1) Smith Humphres | Belmont Miss |
| | (2) Salina Gibson | Memphis Tenn |
| | (3) Jane Cook | Dead |
| Mother's side | (4) William Shubird | Chattanooga Tenn |
| | (5) | |
| | (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Indian blood through my father and his mother whose maiden name was Sarah Boswell

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lydia Helton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug 1907.

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Amanda J Humphres

and

Claude Helton

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lydia J Helton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her for 26 years and

11 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Lizzie King
DM Miller

Signatures of Witnesses.

Amanda J Humphres
Claude J Helton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E H Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 35294.

Action: *Reject*

Name

Mary Jane McGary and 4 children.

Residence:

Graysville, Pa.

Reasons:

Daughter of # 21965 and claims through the same source.

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No. 35274

Name, 114

With No. 21950

Remarks:

No. 35201

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

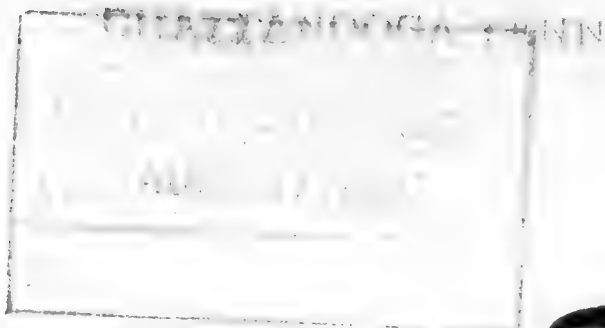
OF
Mary Jane McCarry
For
Self and of minors

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

L. B. JONES

Atty



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mary Jane McBarry & 4 minors

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Graysville

3. County:

Catoosa

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

49 yrs old

Born

July 8, 1858

6. Where were you born?

Whitfield County Ga

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

John McBarry 46 yrs old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. | |
|-----|--------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | <i>Minnie B. Black McBarry</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>29 Aug 1880</i> | |
| (2) | <i>Margaret E. McBarry</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>22 Oct 1885</i> | |
| (3) | <i>Fannie G. "</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>15 Aug 1887</i> | <i>4 minors</i> |
| (4) | <i>Mary A. "</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>15 " 1889</i> | |
| (5) | <i>Kate M. "</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>25 " 1893</i> | |
| (6) | <i>Maude L. "</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>14 Sep 1899</i> | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Joseph Handley

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Margaret "

Indian name:

Maiden name:

" Sleigh

12. Where were they born?

Father:

in N.C.

Mother:

Cobb Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Whitfield Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died soon after close of civil war

Mother: living East Lake Tenn

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|--------|
| (1) | William Hardy Chattanooga Tenn | 1860 | living |
| (2) | James Hardy Catoosa Co Ga | 1866 | " |
| (3) | Newton Hardy Hamilton Co Tenn | 1870 | " |
| (4) | Christopher C Hardy Hamilton Co Tenn | 1872 | " |
| (5) | Minnie Warren Hardy Smith East Lake Tenn | 1879 | " |
| (6) | Joseph Smith East Lake Tenn | 1881 | " |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------------|
| William Hardy | Pleasant Sleigh |
| Judie " | Manerva " Free Mills |

18. Where were they born? William Hardy in N.C. and Judie in Ga. The Sleighs were born in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All lived in Whitfield Co- Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | Enoch Sleigh | dont know |
| (2) | Sarah Rayne " | living Franklin Co Ga |
| (3) | Alie " | dont know |
| (4) | Napolean " | " " |
| (5) | Mary " | " " |
| (6) | Joseph " | " " |
| (7) | Frank " | " " |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I get my indian blood from my mother and her ancestors, and she claims her Cherokee blood from her mother, whose maiden name was Manerva Mills.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Witnesses

J.C. Smith (Signature) *Mary Jane McCarry*
E. Kelley Jr 17 day of August 1907.

E.H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Joseph C. Smith*

and *Mary Jane McCarry* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Jane McCarry*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 45 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. Kelley Jr *J.C. Smith* *Mary Jane McCarry*
Fannie D. May *Margaret D. May*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907. *E.H. Matthews*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 35295

Action: *Refused*

Name

Geo. M. Myer

and *no* children.

Residence:

*42 Collins St.
Chattanooga, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*It does not appear that applicant or any of his
ancestors were enslaved. It does appear that
applicant and his father and grandfather, three
whom he claims, were slaves.*

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No. 35295

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

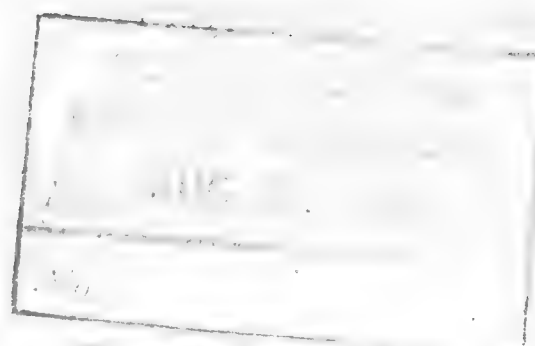
APPLICATION

OF
George W. Wych
Self and one minor

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| (1) | Missouri Martin | 27 years | Oct 29 1879 |
| (2) | Christopher C. Nych | 25 " | Sept 23 1881 |
| (3) | Joseph L. Nych | 23 " | Dec 25 1883 |
| (4) | Lida B. Nych | 20 | July 8 th 1887 |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Bibb County Ga

“ ” “ ”

Died in March 1901

11 " 1867

I doubt. Know

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------------|--------|
| (1) | Lottie. Wych Jones County Ga | 1876 | Living |
| (2) | Benjamin Wych Macon Ga | 1877 | " |
| (3) | Eugene. Wych Jones County Ga | 1878 | " |
| (4) | Arthur Wych Macon Ga | 1879 | " |
| (5) | Joseph. Wych Jones County Ga | Doubt Known | " |
| (6) | Sarah. Wych Jones County Ga | " " | " |

MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE.
Dorsey Wyck
Lydia "

Yours Truly
Lucilla Hallingworth

In State of Virginia. Lucilla Hallingman
Pilot County, Va.

The Wyches in Jones Co

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Fathers side | (1) Reuben Hych | Died 20 years ago |
| " | (2) Lovonia " | Jones County Ga |
| Mother side | (3) Amy Dixon | Died 8 years ago |
| | (4) Mary Hallingsworth | Don't know |
| | (5) Jennie. Hallingsworth | " |
| | (6) Lund Dixon | Craneford Co. Ga |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my Indian blood through my father and his ancestors. My Great Grandfather Joseph Harper was said to be a full blood Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

G. W. Nych

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of August, 1907.

R. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

G. W. Thomas

and

John W. Sprigge

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

George W. Nych

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for 1 years and

12 years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Thomas

John W. Sprigge

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My commission expires

9 Oct

, 1907

R. H. Matthews
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#35395

Miscel.

Geo. W. Wyeh, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am 53 years of age and live in Chattanooga, Tenn. I claim my Indian descent through my father and my grandfather on my father's side. I was held in slavery and so was my father and grandfather. My grandfather was half Indian, his father was full Indian (Cherokee). I am recognized as a colored man. My wife is dead but was a colored woman. She had no Indian blood whatever.

Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chattanooga, Tenn. this
30th day of June, 1908.

Ass't to Special Commissioner,
Court of Claims.

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No. 35295.

May 20, 1900.

James F. Bell,

213 Boylston St., Chattanooga.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents have not
connected with the Eastern Churches in 1851.

Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by the Church, or Indians?

Did they or their relatives the Church as recognized
members of their tribes? Were they admitted to tribal
councils?

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WY/ALL

35295

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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER.
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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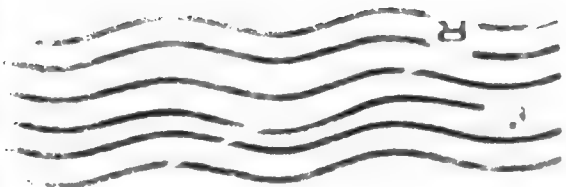
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George W. Wynn,
13 Boyce St.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

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No. 35295.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 20, 1908.**

George W. Wych,
213 Boyce St., Chattanooga.

Sir:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not
enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

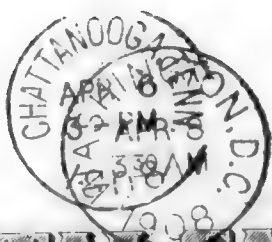
Were they held as slaves? If so, were they owned
by White people or Indians?

Did they ever live with the Cherokees as recognized
members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal
councils?

Respectfully,

Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner.

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Washington



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application for claims of the Cherokee
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May where abouts

Geo. W. Myer #214 Boyce St.
Chattanooga Tenn

No. 35296.

Action: Reject.

Name: Mary Ann Gaines and 1 children. Residence: Sweetwater, Tenn.

Reasons: Sister to #19209; claims thru same source.

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No. 35276

Name *Philip R. Jones*

With No. 14207

Remarks:

No. 15300

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

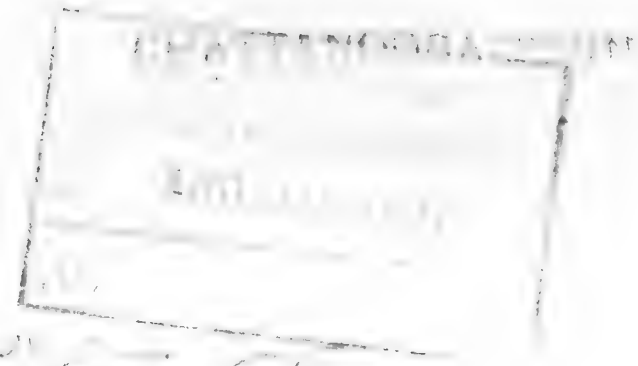
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Mary Gains
Self and 1 minor

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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L. E. JONES

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|---------------------------|
| (1) | William Gains | 3.6 | Mch 20 th 1871 |
| (2) | Martha Jones | 34 | Aug 4. 1873 |
| (3) | Fannie Gains | 25 | " 2. 1882 |
| (4) | Albert. " | 21 | Jan 20. 1886 |
| (5) | Hattie " | 19 | Apr. 21. 1888 (minor) |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mourae County Tennessee

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died during the Civil war

Mother: " about 27 years ago

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------|------------|--------|
| (1) | Angeline Rhea | Don't know | Living |

| | | | |
|--|-----------------|--|--|
| | Sweetwater Tenn | | |
|--|-----------------|--|--|

| | | | |
|-----|-------------------|-------------|---|
| (2) | Martha Montgomery | July 9 1844 | " |
|-----|-------------------|-------------|---|

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|--|-----------------|--|--|
| | Sweetwater Tenn | | |
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| (5) | | | |
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| | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (6) | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

| | | |
|---|------|------------|
| 1 | Hall | Don't know |
| | " | " |

18. Where were they born?

Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

The Halls in Mourae County Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Patience side (1) Charity Hall

(2) Cynthia "

(3) "

(4) "

(5) "

(6) "

Dead

" (Dead in Mourae County Tennessee)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Indian blood through my mother who I am informed was a full blooded Cherokee and was sold into slavery when a child

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. *Witnesses.*

Arthur Gaines
Louis Sighroy

(Signature)

Marcha Ann Gainer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

17th

day of

Aug

1907.

E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct

1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Marcha Montgomery*

and _____ who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Marcha Ann Gainer*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *58* years and

_____ years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Louis Sighroy
E. H. Kelley

Signatures of Witnesses.

Marcha Montgomery
Arthur Gainer

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17

day of

August

1907.

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E. H. Matthews
Notary Public.

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No. 35297.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Mary Byrd* and *1* children. Residence: *Chatt. Tenn.*

Reasons:

Applicant claims through her grandfather who was a slave.

35297

Child, Chataugay 2?

No. 35.297.

Name Mary Byrd.

With No.

Remarks:

Refect
Slaves

Ancestors
not on rolls.

No. 35297

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Mary Byrd
Self and 1 minor

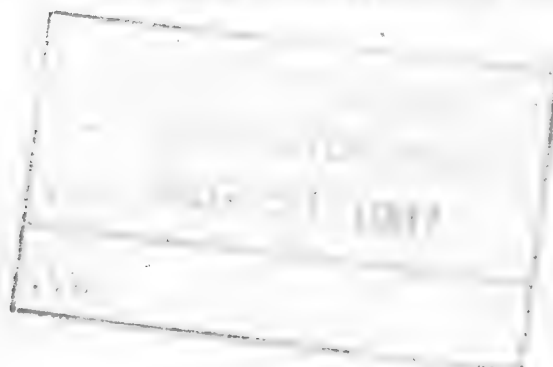
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

L. E. JONES

att'y

CHATTANOOGA TENN



Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Clarence Byrd | 14 | Nov 28 1893. |
| (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| (4) | | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Green County, Ga

Mother:

" "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living at Atlanta Ga

Mother:

" " Chattanooga Tenn

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Burley Dauds.
Eezag

Enoch Thomas,
Mary

18. Where were they born?

Green County, Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Ga

Green County -

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Father's side (1) Samuel Dauds Atlanta Ga
(2) Laura Pollard " "
(3) Harrison Thomas Green Co. "
(4) Thomas " " "
(5) Thaddeus " " "
(6) Enoch " " "
Mother's side Elizabeth Atkins
Mary Rains Atlanta Ga

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my Indian blood thru my Mother and my Grandfather on my Mothers Side. and his ancestors

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Byrd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

E Matthews
Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of Witnesses

Frank D. Ingram Adeline Grant
Henry Byrd

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E Matthews
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec MAY 29 1908
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Recd at
Challananga

ms 297

Dec 24/1907.

Mrs. Susan Miller,

Sir: - I received

your letter, and since I have
my claim in Mrs. Brown's
father's large decree. Dec-
2/1907. He had a son, known
large firm and all of his
people and also some of his
people were slaves could not read
nor write therefore was
not allowed to write his
name down in 557. O.
I am, Sir, very truly,
Sincerely,
Yours, Sir, S. Miller

and his father was the
one and was recognized as
grew in this place. and
held the same for some
and were owned by the
people. Com. Thomas was
of Papia Co. and the
people were just as slaves
owned by white men
others were just Cherokee,

Respectfully,
J. 227 Carr to
mrs. Adeline B. Carr

No. 35597.

May 20, 1908.

Dear Sir,

327 Corn St., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:

Kindly advise this office why your people were not
enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1881.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as
recognized members of their tribe?

When they lived with them, were they owned
by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WPK/ATL

No. 35298.

Name *Addie Laster* and *X* children.

Action *Reject.*

Residence: *310 Chestnut St.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Daughter of #28244.

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No. 35298

Name *Alfred Hunter*

With No. 28244.

Remarks:

No. 35208

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Addie Laster

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

L. B. [illegible]

atty

CHATTANOOGA TENN.

P. 1

35208

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Addie Laster

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

310 Chestnut St Chattanooga

3. County:

Hamilton

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

22 years

Born

Oct. 29th 1885

6. Where were you born?

Hamilton County Tennessee

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Cherokee

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Henry Laster

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Lillie

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lillie Tucker

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Asheville North Carolina

Mother:

Hamilton County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I don't know whether he was born then or not if so he was living in Spartanburg SC
Mother: Not born in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living Highland Park Sta Tenn
Mother: Living in Chattanooga

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| <u>Half Brothers.</u> | | | |
| (1) | <u>Virginia McFarland</u> | <u>Apr 25 1888</u> | <u>Living</u> |
| <u>& Sisters.</u> | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Luther Tucker</u> | <u>May 6 1892</u> | <u>11</u> |
| | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Thomas Tucker</u> | <u>Oct 29 1894</u> | <u>4</u> |
| | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>Katie Tucker</u> | <u>May 3 1903</u> | <u>11</u> |
| | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u> | | |
| (5) | | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|
| <u>Ephraim Tallison</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| <u>Louisa</u> | <u>Emma Tucker</u> |

18. Where were they born?

Spartanburg SC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

South Carolina Spartanburg

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <u>Father side</u> | (1) <u>Rice Jennings</u> | <u>Wilmington NC</u> |
| | (2) <u>York Laster</u> | <u>In Kentucky</u> |
| | (3) <u>Jerry</u> | <u>Spartanburg SC</u> |
| | (4) | |
| | (5) | |
| | (6) | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim Indian blood through my father and Grandmother on my father's side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Addie Laster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *Aug.* 1907.

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct.

1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Emma Penney

and

Analee Charlton

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Addie Laster

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *10* years and

15 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Emma Penney

Analee Charlton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *14th* day of *August*, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct.

1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 18 1908
No. 35298

air. let.
JAN 18 1908

Chattanooga. Tenn. Tenn
Jan. 14 / 1898.

Dear Sir I received a card from
you sometime ago. about 3 months
ago and I was to hold the card
until I ~~to~~ heard from you
again. The claim that I have
is on my father's side and I
would like to have some hearing
about it please. The number of my
claim is 35298.

From Addie Carter
318 Chestnut Street

Answer as soon as possible
please,

| | |
|------------------|-------|
| CALIFORNIA | |
| FACILE | |
| Per 1991 37 1408 | |
| No. | 35298 |

w.c. let.

1991

Chattanooga Tenn
May 8/99

Dear Sir I received a
letter sometime ago from
you - telling me - that you
would - give me - another
hearing from my claims
and in through that I
could write to you again
as to see - what further
hearing I could get -
the number of my claim
is 352981 - Answer -
as soon as possible

from Public Land Office
310 (P.L.O.) and
Chattanooga

App. No. 28344

May 20, 1908.

Henry Laster,
1806 Citico Ave.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sir:-

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, kindly state why the name of your father and his ancestors do not appear on the Cherokee rolls of 1835 and 1851.

Were you or your father ever held as a slave? If so, state whether you or he were owned by white people or Indians.

Did either of the mothers of your children possess any Cherokee blood?

Give the names of your relatives who resided with any Indian tribe, also when and where they lived with such tribe, giving the county and state and the name of such tribe.

Very respectfully,

Yours very truly,
J. H. Laster.

/s/

No. 35299.

Action: Reject

Name Rosa A. Benton and X children. Residence: Rossville, Ga.

Reasons:

Daughter of # 33516 and claims through the same source.

35299

No. 35294.

Name ^a / ~~Gray~~ Benton

With No. 33516.

Remarks:

No. 35209

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

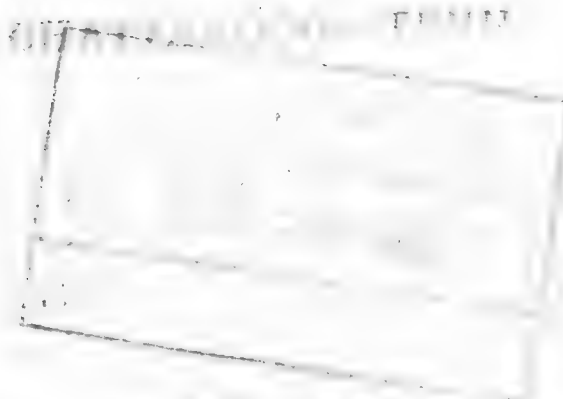
Rosa A Benton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 19, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

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U. S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR

Atty.



H. B. Case

Oct. 18, 1906

Chattanooga Tenn

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Rosa A. Benton

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Rossville

3. County:

Walker

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

28 yrs old

Born

Dec. 26. 1878

6. Where were you born?

28 yrs old

7. Are you married?

Murray Co - Ga

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Hugh J. Benton 29 yrs old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William L Laceywell

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary E

Indian name:

Maiden name:

" " Hays

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Monroe Co. Tenn

Mother:

Bradley

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Monroe Co - Tenn

Mother: Bradley "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living Rossville Ga

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I dont know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | George W. Lacewell | March 7, 1868 | living |
| | near Dallas Tex | | |

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|---|
| (2) | Joseph W. Lacewell | Nov 26, 1869 | " |
| | Rossville Ga | | |

| | | | |
|-----|------------------|----------------|---|
| (3) | John C. Lacewell | March 10, 1872 | " |
| | St Louis Mo | | |

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|---|
| (4) | Lucy C. Martin | Dec 26, 1878 | " |
| | Highland Park Tenn | | |

| | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (5) | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|

| | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (6) | | | |
|-----|--|--|--|

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Peter Lacewell
Mary "

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John F. Hayes
Polly "

18. Where were they born? Peter Lacewell, Rutledge Co. N.C. Mary, Monroe Co. Tenn
John F. Hayes, in Greenville Dist S.C. Polly Hayes in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Lacewells in Monroe County Tenn; The Hayes, in Bradley Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|--------|-------------|
| (1) | Daniel H. Lacewell | living | Agree Texas |
|-----|--------------------|--------|-------------|

| | | | |
|-----|----------|---|----------|
| (2) | Joseph P | " | Albama " |
|-----|----------|---|----------|

| | | | |
|-----|------------|---|------|
| (3) | Mary Corpe | " | dead |
|-----|------------|---|------|

| | | | |
|-----|------------------|---|----------------|
| (4) | John F. Lacewell | " | near Dalton Ga |
|-----|------------------|---|----------------|

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|---|------|
| (5) | Margaret P. Wooten | " | dead |
|-----|--------------------|---|------|

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|-----|-----------|
| (6) | George W. Lacewell | " " | Dalton Ga |
|-----|--------------------|-----|-----------|

| | | | |
|-----|--------------|---|------|
| (7) | Sidney Hayes | " | dead |
|-----|--------------|---|------|

| | | | |
|-----|--------|---|---|
| (8) | George | " | " |
|-----|--------|---|---|

| | | | |
|-----|-----------------------|---|---|
| (9) | Malissa Bearden Hayes | " | " |
|-----|-----------------------|---|---|

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my Cherokee blood thru both father and mother, they have filed claims and I refer to their family history. My Great Grandfather on father's side was named William Racewell

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rosa A. Benton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Lucy C. Martin
and William L. Racewell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Rosa A. Benton
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and
28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Lucy C. Martin
W. L. Racewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

E. H. Matthews

Notary Public.

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prospective, in the claim.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office,
the day and year last above written.

[L. S.]

Harold C. Hester

(Official Signature)

Notary Public

(Official Character)

I, _____, Esq.,
Clerk of the County Court in and for
aforesaid County and State, do certify that _____
who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of so
doing, _____ in and for said County and State, duly
commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that
his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this _____ day of _____, 18____

[L. S.]

Clerk of the _____

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY
COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

No. *35,299*

CLAIM OF

Rosa L. Benton
Rossville
Halker Co
Georgia
FOR
Eastern Cherokee Claims

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 7 1908

FILED BY

Walter B. Case
Chattanooga
Tennessee

Printed and For Sale by J. F. Sherry, Claim Blank Printer,
No. 623 D Street, N W., Washington, D. C.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, Roscoe A. Benton

of Rossville, in the County of Walker, and State of Georgia,
have made, constituted, and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute, and appoint
Halbert B. Case, of Chattanooga, Tennessee
my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, place, and stead, hereby annulling and
revoking all former Powers of Attorney whatever in the premises, to prosecute before any
Department, or the Courts, or Committees of Congress of the United States until final completion,
for me, my Claim for money due me of the fund ap-
propriated by the act of Congress, approved
June 30th 1906. in accordance with the
decree of the Court of claims of May 18, 1905
and May 28, 1906. in favor of the Eas-
tern Cherokees. The number of my claim
as filed with Guion Miller special
Commissioner is 35,299

and to, from time to time, furnish any further evidence necessary, or that may be demanded,
giving and granting to my said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and
every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises,
as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing
thereof, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that
my said Attorney or his substitute, may, or shall lawfully do or cause to be done by
virtue hereof.

My Post Office address is Rossville, Walker Co. Georgia

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this Twenty first
day of December 1906 hundred and Seven

Francis O. Case

William L. Locwell
Two witnesses who can write sign here

Roscoe A. Benton
(Signature of Claimant.) [L. S.]

State of Tennessee, County of Hamilton, ss:

BE IT KNOWN, That on this Twenty first day of December
in the year 1908, before me, the undersigned, a
Notary Public in and for the said County and
State, personally appeared Rosa A. Benton

to me well known to be the identical person who executed the foregoing Letter of Attorney, and
the same having been first fully read over to her and the contents thereof duly explained,
acknowledged the same to be her act and deed, and that I have no interest, present or
prospective, in the claim.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office,
the day and year last above written.

[L. S.]

Herbert C. Hulse

(Official Signature.)

Notary Public

(Official Character.)

I, _____, Clerk of the County Court in and for
aforesaid County and State, do certify that _____, Esq.,
who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of so
doing, _____ in and for said County and State, duly
commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that
his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this _____ day of _____, 18____

[L. S.]

Clerk of the _____

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY
COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

No. 33,299

CLAIM OF

Rosa A. Benton

Passville

Walker Co

Georgia

FOR

Eastern Cherokee Claim

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

JAN 7 1908

FILED BY

Walter B. Case

Chattanooga

Tennessee

Printed and For Sale by J. F. Sherry, Claim Blank Printer,
No. 623 D Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

No. 35300

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Ellen West* and *X* children. Residence: *Whorley, Tenn.*

Reasons:

It does not appear that applicant or her ancestors were ever enrolled - It does not appear that they were parties to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846, or that they lived upon the treaty. It does appear that they did not live with the treaty, and that applicants father, through whom applicant claims, was recognized as a white man, and was a voter

Miss. Inst. P. 273-

35300

Field Station?

No. 35-300

Penn

Name

Ellen West

With No. ...

Remarks:

35300

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Ellen West
for
Self and 3 minors

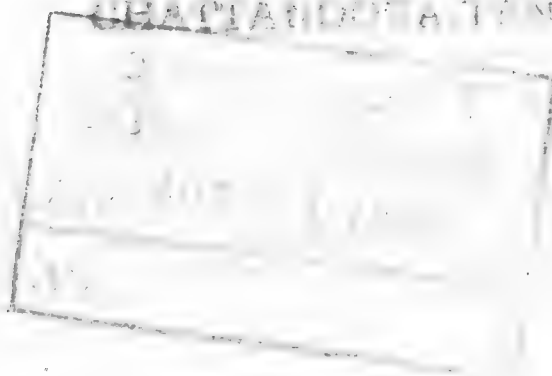
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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I. B. JONES

Atty

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ellen West and 4 minors

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Whorley

3. County: Hamilton Co

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 54 yrs old Born Nov 26, 1853

6. Where were you born? Gordon Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marion West 56 yrs old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

| | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lou Emma Chastan</u> | <u>22</u> | <u>Mch 19, 1885</u> |
| (2) | <u>Stella Galaway</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>18, 1889</u> |
| (3) | <u>Mattie West</u> | <u>16</u> | <u>July 18, 1891</u> |
| (4) | <u>Olie</u> | <u>13</u> | <u>Dec, 11, 1894</u> |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: William Young

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Wickett

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: near Greenville S.C.

Mother: Gordon Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died in 1863

Mother: Living Gordon Co- Ga

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

I am information is, that my Grand parents, on the Wickett side was enrolled, but dont know the date of enrollment.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

| | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Conn Young</u> | <u>dont know</u> | <u>living</u> |
| | <u>Some where in I.T.</u> | | |
| (2) | <u>Delia Chastice ne Young</u> | <u>" "</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| | <u>Gordon Co Ga</u> | | |
| (3) | <u>Docia Jackson</u> | <u>" "</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| | <u>Pickens Co Ga</u> | | |
| (4) | <u>John N Wooten 1/2 Bro</u> | <u>" "</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| | <u>Pickens Co Ga</u> | | |
| (5) | <u>Benjamin W Wooten</u> | <u>" "</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| | <u>Hamilton Co Tenn</u> | | |
| (6) | | | |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jesse Young
Sallie

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jack Wickett
Jane

18. Where were they born? Jesse and Sallie Young in S.C. The Wicketts were both born in Gordon Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Youngs in Pickett Co Ga and the Wicketts in Gordon Co Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

| | | |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Wickett</u> | <u>dont know may be in I.T.</u> |
| (2) | <u>Elizabeth Young ne</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Rebecca Roberts</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| (4) | <u>Sallie Knox</u> | <u>" "</u> |
| (5) | <u>Lemuel Wickett</u> | <u>living Ft Gibson I.T.</u> |
| (6) | | |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim my Cherokee blood from my mother and her ancestors, my great grandparents on the Wickett side, who removed with the Cherokee Indians and they drew money from the U S Govt, and was enrolled as I am informed, but don't know the date of enrollment
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnesses

Charles McCarnack (Signature) *Ellen & West*
B W Wooten mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

E H Matthews

Notary Public.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Charles McCarnack*
and *B W Wooten*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Ellen West*
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Charles McCarnack
B W Wooten

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

9 Oct, 1907 *E H Matthews*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

M. J. Wofford, witness for Ellen West, being first duly sworn,
deposes and says:

My name is M. J. Wofford; am 80 years of age; I have made no application for Indian money. I know Ellen West and Benj. Wooten. Ellen West gets her Cherokee Indian blood through her grandfather who was very near full blood. I knew him for forty years. He did not live with the Indians. He settled on the Tennessee Road and lived and died there. He was a recognized white man., also a voter. He did not serve in the War; he was too old. He was a farmer. I do not know if he ever received any Indian money. I do not remember her mother, Elizabeth Young. If she received any Indian money I cannot recall the fact.

M. J. Wofford. (Signature.)

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me, at Chattanooga, Tenn.
this twentieth day of June, 1908.

Assistant to Special Commissioner of
the Court of Claims.

No.35300.

May 20, 1908.

Ellen West,

Whorley, Tenn.

Madam:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe? Were they admitted to tribal councils?

If they were held as slaves, state whether they were owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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